



Tuesday afternoon we called to see Muriel Hurt, who has been an invalid for many months from an auto accident, and found her in a nervous condition. It was pitiful and our heart bled for her and as we held her hands and looked into her face we so wished that we were fit to pray with her and so told her. She has suffered long and has been very patient, but as time moves on and her resistance grows weaker it seems as though she has been fighting a losing battle. May the good Lord stand by her.

The Junior Chamber of Commerce has spent a good many dollars trying to beautify Railroad Park and have placed shrubs at the corner and a guard rail to protect them and to try to keep lecturers and half baked preachers, and the like out. Lecturer Leiske has been holding forth at that corner on Saturday afternoons and his crowd that has been attracted has gotten over the fence and have become somewhat of a nuisance. If we owned this town we would not permit any of this street preaching and we would force them to hire a hall if they could not secure a church house. Then as is the Mayor should see that some police with guns would be stationed around that corner, order the crowd to move off and the wind jammer to move on.

Tuesday was the first day crappie fish could legally be taken in Reel Foot Lake so the editor and wife and daughter, Mary, in company with Mr. and Mrs. Lon Laid started for that point at 8:00 o'clock with our mouths set for a good mess of that species of game fish. It was a crushing disappointment, after we reached that point, to learn that not one crappie was to be had at any of the fish markets. Anyway, we were told bass, cat and buffalo could be had, so we ordered up five bass dinners and after a short while a large platter of brown fish was placed on the table, but to this time we don't know what sort of fish it was, except that it was a disappointment. The party crossed the river to Wyckoff, Ky., and on to Clinton, Ky., where the country cured hams grow and secured a few. The return trip was made by the Tiptonville ferry and home was reached around 2:00 p. m.

The red gum trees of Southeast Missouri grow on high or well drained land while the cypress grow on swamp land with plenty of moisture at the roots or knees. When the earthquake of 1811-12 caused such an upheaval in Southeast Missouri the River Saint Mary's emptying into the Mississippi River just below New Madrid was obliterated by the upheaval that choked it at the mouth permitting the sediment from the hills to the north to fill the river bed, the Reel Foot Lake of Tennessee containing some 35,000 acres was formed when the earth sank. Perhaps sloughs and other depressions as well as upheavals were caused by the same quake. Recently down in Dunklin County there was discovered the body of a large red gum measuring 30 inches in diameter in the Kinnamore Slough that must have fallen when the earthquake formed the slough because a large cypress tree measuring 36 inches in diameter grew up by the side of the fallen red gum, one of the large cypress roots had grown over and around the gum holding it in a death embrace. Some red gum is still to be found in Dunklin County but none in the swamps and no cypress on the high land. This is but a supposition that the red gum met its death at the time of the 1811-12 earthquake as no living man knows the history of the forming of Kinnamore Slough.

The Sikeston Beauty who carries off the honors in the local contest can wear the same outfit, if she so chooses, at the State contest. One of our local sponsors of the contest said the mean old judges at Sedalia might call for all contents as they pass down the platform to elevate their dresses slightly above shoe tops or not higher than stocking top in order that no bow legged or knocked kneed beauty should win as they would have no show at the National contest at Atlantic City when strutting in bathing suits.

Colonel Brown of Kansas who fed hundreds of white faced cattle north of Sikeston and a few 2-legged beauties has shipped back to Kansas in a big car leaving behind many friends that he made while here and a number of disappointed and broken hearted women that had high hopes of being Queen of the Sunflower State at some future date.

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New Farm Act Opposed by S. E. Missouri Group

New Madrid, Mo., June 1.—At a meeting of Southeast Missouri farmers and landowners here recently opposition was expressed to many features of the new proposed Agriculture Adjustment Act. The meeting was called by W. S. Edwards, secretary of the New Madrid County Citizens League.

One of the features of the proposed program criticised was the provision whereby base production quotas would be established over a period of the past 10 years. E. P. Coleman of Sikeston, Scott County, a large landowner and ginner, declared "the historical estimates used in determining production bases in the past were distinctly unfair and unsatisfactory to Southeast Missouri."

"There have been tremendous

developments in new lands during the past years," he continued, "and there has been a large influx of cotton farmers from the South and present bases are out of date. Any compulsory control set up using these bases would wreck agriculture in Southeast Missouri and I believe the many who had energy enough to go to the woods and clear up a farm have as much right to produce a crop and make a living as any farmer anywhere regardless of past history." Members of a committee appointed to "organize the farmers against the proposed act" included Judge Xenophon Caverno, member of the Missouri Agriculture Conservation Committee, Jackson Davis, New Madrid County Representative, J. D. Daugherty, E. P. Coleman and W. S. Edwards, New Madrid.

Land Owners Protest Proposed Farm Act

E. P. Coleman of Sikeston has been appointed as the leader in Scott County to organize the farmers to attend a meeting of cotton farmers to be held at New Madrid next Tuesday night, June 8.

A meeting of farmers from Southeast Missouri was held last Tuesday night at New Madrid and 75 farmers declared that Southeast Missouri is being discriminated against by the proposed Agricultural Adjustment Act in provisions of cottons, base acreage and parity payments and a drive was organized to get an equitable cotton base for this part of the state.

In addition to Mr. Coleman, Joseph L. Matthews, Tom Allen and other land owners from Sikeston attended the meeting which was called by W. S. Edwards of New Madrid, secretary of the New Madrid County Citizens' League. He led the discussion after asserting "the base acreage and parity payments as proposed are unfair to the farmers of Southeast Missouri" and recommended that the farmers name

committees to go to Washington in an attempt to guard against the alleged discrimination.

The meeting was presided over by Morris Frankle, a ginner and land owner of New Madrid County, who appointed men in five counties to organize clubs of farmers and appoint committees to attend the next meeting at New Madrid June 8. The leaders appointed were: E. P. Coleman of Scott County, William Holliday of Mississippi County, Judge C. Callahan of Stoddard County, Fred Wallace of Dunklin County and O. H. Acom of Pemiscot County.

Frankle said the purpose of the meeting was not to decide whether the organization would favor the proposed agricultural act, but to attempt to get this district on an equal footing with other states on base acreage.

J. K. Robbins of New Madrid County was placed on the Executive Committee to succeed Edwards who resigned at the meeting Tuesday night saying that he did not favor the bill and felt he could not do the organization justice.

Mr. Bruton and Mr. Lair Hear Farley at Memphis

F. D. Lair, Sr., accompanied Postmaster Bruton to Memphis Wednesday afternoon to hear Postmaster General Farley speak at the Postal Clerks Convention held at the Peabody Hotel. The banquet was held at 7:00 p. m. Wednesday night.

Mr. Lair reported that nearly 1000 people attended the banquet and were well pleased by the jovial, red faced Farley who lived up to his Irish appearance and mixed many jokes with his comments on the importance of the Post Office Department to the average citizen.

Mr. Farley also mentioned politics briefly and endorsed the policies of the administration. It

is believed by some that Farley is presidential timber for the next election and by others that he is looking toward the Governorship of New York state.

The convention was held for the postal clerks of Missouri, Arkansas and Tennessee.

NANCY OGLESBY HAS APPENDIX OPERATION

Miss Nancy Oglesby, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Verne F. Oglesby, sustained an appendectomy Wednesday morning, in the Macdon County hospital at Decatur, Ill. Her condition was satisfactory, Thursday.

Charges Are Filed Against Early and Roland Malcolm

Early Malcolm made bond for \$1000.00 and Roland Malcolm for \$500.00 in Justice Jos. W. Myers' court for appearance there at a preliminary hearing Thursday of this week following Charges filed by H. E. Randolph, real estate dealer, charging the two with "threatening with a deadly weapon."

According to stories by Mr. Randolph and witnesses the Malcolm boys met Randolph on the street Tuesday morning and wanted him to turn over to them a note for \$190.00 for money borrowed from Randolph some time ago by O. J. Walker and signed by Early Malcolm. The three of them went to Mr. Randolph's office on the second floor of the McCoy-Tanner building where, according to witnesses, Early became angry and threatened Randolph with bodily harm if he did not turn the note over to him. Witnesses stated that he kept one hand inside his shirt as though he might have some weapon concealed there and one of the witnesses stated that the but end of a pistol was visible through the opening in his shirt as they left the office.

According to Mr. Randolph he had possession of the note all the time during the argument but was stalling for time and a chance to call officers for protection. After pretending to look for the note for some time while Malcolm was still threatening him and calling him names, he picked up

a door key and told the boys it was the key to his safety deposit box in the Bank of Sikeston and if they would wait in his office he would get the paper for them. The boys would not hear to this however and when they had crossed the street to the bank he finally persuaded them to wait outside while he went on into the bank.

According to reports, when first questioned about whether or not he had a weapon by bank officials Early first denied and then admitted that he carried a weapon. A telephone call was made from the bank to the City Hall for officers, but when Chief of Police Walter Kendall and Constable W. O. Ellis arrived they had already gone.

Later Tuesday morning Randolph filed papers in Jos. W. Myers' court which were turned over to Constable Ellis. Both Early and Roland came in and filled bond Wednesday morning.

Early Malcolm, who signed the note for Walker, when he went in business at the Grill restaurant across from the Del-Rey Hotel some time ago, who has since left town, claims that Randolph was to have gotten another signature on the note before accepting it.

Witnesses in the office of Mr. Randolph at the time of the disturbance were Miss Wilma Marshall, secretary to Mr. Randolph and E. F. Schorle, business associate.

55 Firms 38 Girls in Pageant

Fifty-five Sikeston business houses have signified their support of the Junior Chamber of Commerce Beauty Pageant being staged in the high school gymnasium next Monday night at 8:00 o'clock. Thirty-eight of these have representatives in the beauty contest.

Louise Tindler, the retiring queen from last year will crown this year's queen and Freda Lankford, winner of the first beauty pageant here two years ago will be on the stage. David Blanton will be master of ceremonies at the beauty parade and music will be furnished by Vernon Peak and his outstanding swing band.

The list of supporting merchants who have representatives entered is as follows:

Woehlecke, The Florist—Eva Ragland. Boyer Auto Service—Eugenia Gisl.

B. B. Tatum (Texas Co.)—Mary Elizabeth Waller. Grabbers—Mary Ellen Johnson. Woolworth—Viva Watkins. Sikes Hardware—Mary Jane Sikes.

Hollingsworth Drug—Ruth Hollingsworth. Ichy's—Emily Kendall. Sikeston Herald—Camille O'Connor.

Dye's Service Station—Demaria Parker. Ance's Service Station—Viviana Herrell. Crossroads Cafe—Mildred Lewis.

Putnam's Grocery—Louise Loebe. Sikeston Laundry—Jeanne Marshall. Sidwell's Jewelry Store—Christine Phillips.

Elite Hat Shop—Margaret Fisher. Norton Shoe Store—Sherma Elmore.

B. F. Goodrich Co.—Wilma Johnson. Heisserer's Drug Store—Rita Heisserer.

Thelma's Beautorium—Mary Lou Ford. Mid-West Dairy Products Co.—Esther Jane Greer.

Lundess Beauty Shop—Nina Verne Taylor. The Peoples Store—Martha Jane Meyers.

Forrester's Drug—Wilma Marshall. Graham's Academy of B. C.—Adajean Bowman. Wallace Store—Francis Ann Sitzer.

Sikeston Lumber Co.—Mildred Anne Baldwin.

Jack's Y.—Margaret Wilson. Becker's Store—Mary Louise Montgomery.

Buckner-Ragsdale—Mildred Wilson. Mitchell-Sharp Chevrolet Co.—Evelyn Holmes.

Coca-Cola Bottling Co.—Helen Vera Dudley.

Reiss Dairy—Alma Lillie Miller. C. C. Scott Ins. Agency—Gwendolyn Kirk.

Vogue Hat Shop—Geneva Propst. Foley Motor Company—Katharine Hart.

Butler's Corner Grocery—Virginia Russell. Local Truck System—Ruth Bloomfield.

Business firms entered without representatives are:

Maier Auto Supply. H. & H. Grocery. Krieger Grocery and Baking Co. No. 148.

Sutton Brothers. Sterling Store. Palace Cafe.

The Laid Company. L. T. Davey. Atlas Life Society.

Missouri Utilities Co. Mount & Kilgore Service Station.

G. A. Dempster. Sikeston Grocery Co. Shainberg's Store.

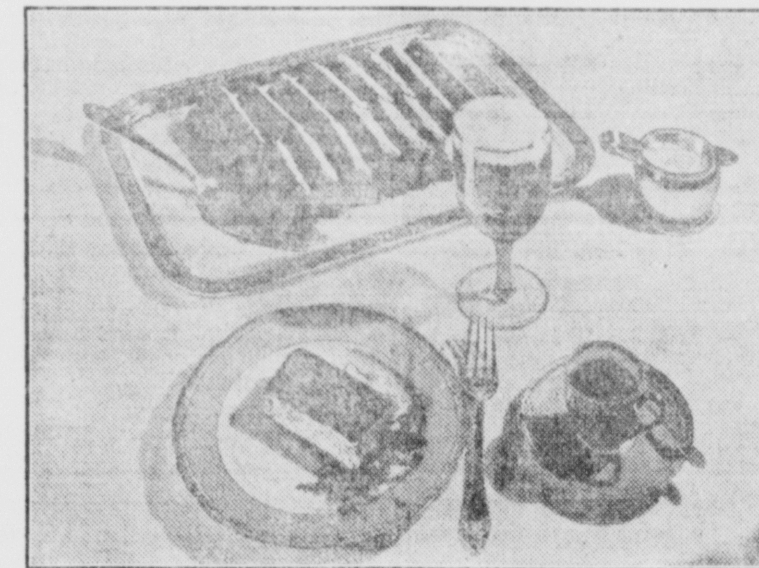
McKnight Heaton Grocery Co. The Flower Basket. Sikeston Standard.

Committees Active According to General Pageant Chairman Paul E. Menz an admission charge of 10 and 25 cents will be charged at the door. Ex-officio members of the committee are Bob Mow, Smoky Sutton, Meredith Lee and Kemper Bruton.

The committee for securing business houses is C. D. Matthews, H. C. C. Scott and Bob Mow; for beauty entrants, Frank Miller, George Dye and Ted Kirby; stage decorations, Harold Ance and Charles Moore; for decorating the Army for the dance following the Pageant, Dr. T. L. Chidester. The dance will start immediately following the selection of the queen.

RUSSELL-BRADLEY The Russell-Bradley missionary society will meet Tuesday evening, June 8, with Mrs. W. E. Hollingsworth and Mrs. J. W. Foley, at the home of Mrs. Hollingsworth on Dorothy.

A Medieval Bride-Ale for the Modern Bride



Beer Spice Cake Served with Beer or Demi Tasse

JUNE—the Bridal month. We have a bridal breakfast, bridal showers, bridal wreaths and bridal veils. It's a happy and exciting month. In fact, so much so that few of us have found time to ponder on the real meaning of the curious word "bridal."

Originating way back in the fifteenth century when beer and ale were the all-important beverages served, every eventful social gathering was called an Ale. There were church-ales, Easter-ales, midsummer-ales, Whitsun-ales, wedding-ales, scot-ales, tithe-ales, bride-ales and many more of which are heard quite frequently in the history of England. During the passage of the years, like everything else, bride-ale has been shortened to bridal.

Luckily for our figures, to say nothing of the cook along with bride-ale being shortened to bridal, the wedding breakfast has been cut down. Medieval bridal breakfasts included such delicacies as swan, capons, herons or pheasants, chickens and pigeons. All that would be topped off with a bit of pastry, serving huge tankards of ale or beer all through the feast.

Why not try a modern Bride-Ale built along medieval lines for your wedding breakfast? Choose any one of the fishes used then and have beer and ale as your beverages. You will then have a very simple menu.

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| 1 cup beer | 1/2 teaspoon salt |
| 1 cup seedless raisins | 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon |
| 3 cups sifted cake flour | 1/2 cup shortening |
| 1/4 teaspoon baking soda | 1 1/4 cups sugar |
| 3 teaspoons baking powder | 2 eggs, separated |

Turn beer over raisins. (If cold, and carefully poured, it will not foam and will be easy to measure.) Let stand 15 minutes. Mix and sift together 3 times flour, baking powder, baking soda, salt and raisins. Add cinnamon. Cream shortening, until soft. Add sugar gradually, beating until light and fluffy after each addition. Add egg yolks. Blend well. Add flour alternately with beer a small amount at a time, beating until smooth after each addition. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Turn into 2 greased loaf tins (8" x 10" x 2") and bake in moderate oven (375 degrees F.) thirty minutes or until done.

Two Couples in Car Reported Stolen Held By Patrol

Two men and two women were picked up in Sikeston Monday afternoon by Troopers P. R. Little and G. W. Lampley in a car reported stolen. The car, a 1937 Pontiac with a Mississippi license was reported stolen from Estes McMean, Iuka, Miss.

The occupants of the car were Elizabeth North, 22, of Corinth, Miss., driver of the car, who reported that she had borrowed it from a friend the day before to drive to St. Louis; Ervil Roberts, 22, Selmer, Tenn., who first gave his name as Jack Sanders; Retha Wilbanks, 18, Kossuth, Miss., who was wanted several weeks ago for running away from home; and Floyd Pomeroy, 25, Truman, Ark., who was hitch hiking and was picked up by the others in the party near Marked Tree, Ark.

The North woman reported that she borrowed the car on the afternoon of May 30 and was driving toward Memphis accom-

panied by Retha Wilbanks when they picked up Roberts at Corleth, Miss., and drove on toward Memphis. They sold a tire and wheel at Marked Tree for \$5.00 and near there picked up Pomeroy.

They had started for St. Louis when the car was wrecked and the front end damaged near Marked Tree. Due to damages the car was heating badly and when they reached Sikeston they tried at three different places to trade the car for another and get some money on the trade. One of the dealers reported them to the Highway Patrol.

One of the members of the party reported that Elizabeth North was running away from her husband with one of the men. The four are being held at Cape Girardeau pending investigation by the Department of Justice.

Jr. C. of C. Discusses Pageant and Makes Picture

Following a business meeting of the Junior Chamber of Commerce at the Palace Cafe Tuesday night at which plans for the annual beauty pageant to be staged at the high school gymnasium Monday night, June 7, were discussed, the picture of the 38 members present was made by H. A. Bach, local photographer.

Beauty Pageant Chairman Paul Menz called for reports from various committees. C. D. Matthews, III, reported 53 business houses entered and Frank Miller said 36 girls had been secured to enter the beauty contest. Committees for decorating the gym for the pageant and the army

for the dance following were appointed.

The organization voted \$10.00 for oiling the street running by the east end of the softball field and the athletic committee indicated their intention of getting some good out of town softball teams in for exhibition games later in the season.

Kemper Bruton reported that Missouri Bell Telephone Company was considering adding a classified section to the new Sikestons telephone directory when it comes out this fall.

Matthew S. Murray, Jr., was a visitor at the meeting and Frank Kuchel was voted in as a new member.

Scott County Milling Co. Offices Air Conditioned

The newly installed air conditioning equipment in the Scott County Milling Company offices on East Center Street was put in operation for the first time at 10:00 o'clock, Tuesday morning and office employees cooled to worry about the hot weather.

The Westinghouse plant was installed by A. E. Harrison of the Harrison Electric Shop on East Malone Avenue and purchased through the Natkin Company of St. Louis, Mo. Elmer Poage did the tin and duct work and the installation was supervised by B. A. Clark. Installation engineers were down from St. Louis Tuesday putting the equipment in operation.

The 15 horsepower compressor and the switchboard of the unit is located in the basement of the building.

offices while the blower system and the intake vent is in the mill printing office. The cooling system uses F-12 or Freon, an odorless gas, in the cooling coils and the air is dehumidified as well as filtered and cooled as it enters the building.

The fan and air circulating unit is practically noiseless and the entire plant is thermostatically controlled. Mr. Clark explained that the temperature would probably be kept about 90 degrees, F. or not much more than 10 degrees cooler than the outside air, since it is low humidity rather than a low temperature which makes for comfort. The plant in the Milling Company offices is probably one of the largest in this section of the country.

Lair Store Second Floor Remodeled

The second floor display room of the Sikeston Lair Furniture Store has recently been converted from a large open display room to twenty medium sized separate rooms for the better display of furniture in ensemble groups.

This is of great advantage to the prospective furniture buyer since he can see the various pieces as they will be arranged in the home without any deduction due to jumbled arrangement or mixture of color scheme.

No furniture store between St. Louis and Memphis has the floor space or the display facilities

found in the Lair store which serves a trade area bounded by Cape Girardeau, Cairo, Blytheville and Poplar Bluff.

The Lair Store advertises daily on the radio from station KFVS, Cape Girardeau, at 10:15 o'clock in the morning for a 15 minute period. A special feature of the program is a 15 minute talk two times a week by F. D. Lair, owner of the store, on house furnishing problems.

The company recently received 60 new bedroom suits and the arrangements in the large display window is being changed this week.

MOREHOUSE HOMECOMING PLANS MADE EARLY

The committee on arrangements for the fourth annual Morehouse Homecoming celebration has set the week beginning Monday, September 6 as the date for the annual celebration this year.

Plans are already under way to make it the largest in the history of these celebrations. Last year there were more out state people in attendance than ever before and this year's plans are starting earlier and will be more complete than before. A better carnival will be secured this year and more concessions operated. A program is planned for each day and prizes will be awarded winners in the various contests.

Another committee meeting at an early date will arrange the details of the celebration and they will be announced in the Standard.

CLAY HUNTER BOOMED FOR STATE LIQUOR JOB

Appointment of Clay Hunter of New Madrid as liquor supervisor for Missouri, to succeed E. J. Becker, who died last Wednesday, is being urged upon Gov. Stark by a number of leading Democrats in Southeast Missouri, it was reported early this week.

Mr. Hunter has extensive land interests in New Madrid County and has been active in Democratic politics in that county for many years.

It is reported that numerous endorsements from political leaders in this section have been sent to Gov. Stark in behalf of Mr. Hunter. The office pays \$4500 per year, but a bill is in the Legislature to increase the salary.

For the past few months Mr. Hunter has been operating the Vienna Social Club on West Front Street here in Sikeston.

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WHAT WOULD YOU DO?

Mr. Well-fed Complacent Citizen, what would you do if you had just reached your tenth to fifteenth birthday, and found yourself in the situation that confronts several hundred local boys and girls? School is out. You have no job, and you can't get one. You are in the way at home. Perhaps your parents are more or less irritable. You are strong, vigorous and literally bubbling over with the zest of living. You want to do something, but you are thwarted here and there, perhaps by parental objection, perhaps by lack of means. Perhaps there are no books in your home and your family is unable to subscribe to newspapers and magazines. Lack of money keeps you away from the picture show and you can't raise even a dime for the swimming pool. There is no ball diamond available, and if there was you lack bats and balls and gloves.

What would you do this summer, Mr. Average Good Citizen, if you found yourself in the condition described, which is a condition prevalent all over this town in the lives of our adolescent boys and girls?

A lot of you would do just what a lot of the boys and girls are going to do—get into trouble. Lost in a sea of miserable idleness, but seething with the enthusiasm of youth, an unhappy vacation can be easily directed into petty crime, or into lines of thinking that may later make for unwholesome living.

We are, therefore, tremendously interested in the state-wide recreational program, sponsored by the federal government, which may soon be available in this and other similar communities.

This project, under a clean and capable director, will seek to provide wholesome recreational activity for the boys and girls. It will seek to entertain them, to instruct them, to inspire them. It will seek to keep their lives so full of worth while things that there will be neither time nor opportunity for the sordid. It will seek to keep their days so full of things that normal boys and girls like that, they will lose interest in prowling the streets at night.

Fredericktown may have one of these projects, doubtless will have one. The director will be paid from federal funds, and his assistants will be recruited from relief rolls. Swimming classes, soft ball, directed games, library help, handicraft, and many other lines of activity will be made available.

The community will be asked only to provide the necessary balls, bats, and a small amount of other supplies, probably not over \$100 worth for the summer season. The school grounds, the park grounds, the swimming pool, and all other local facilities can be, and should be, made available to this undertaking. The school board, and the city administration, and the civic clubs have indicated they are enthusiastically behind the movement.

We have, just out before us, an opportunity for investment in young life and character that should return dividends of inestimable value.—Fredericktown Democrat-News.

LIGHTNING KILLS GIRL HOING COTTON

Kennett, Mo., June 2.—An up-raised hoe in the hands of Dorothy Lee Powell, 15, who was chopping cotton at the Lone Oak community just across the state line in Arkansas, attracted a bolt of lightning during a brief electrical storm yesterday. The girl was killed instantly. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Powell.

CONOCO DEALERS EXPECT BIG TOURIST SEASON

Local merchants and particularly the Conoco dealers, are looking forward to substantial profit this summer, as a result of the largest tourist season in history, according to R. E. Rafferty, manager here for Continental Oil Company.

"Early summer requests received by the Conoco Travel Bureau for touring information indicate that 1937 will surpass even last year's travel business," he said. "Nationally all merchants will profit, but the Conoco dealers have an additional reason for optimism."

"Under Continental's new policy all of its products are sold through independent dealers—which means that every Conoco dealer either owns or leases his station, is in business for himself. He doesn't work for a weekly or monthly pay envelope; so naturally he gets out and hustles for the extra profit. Furthermore, Continental Oil Company's giving its dealers some fine cooperation. They are taking newspaper space to advertise the dealer's station as well as their own products."

SIKESTON STANDARD COMPLIMENTARY TICKET

This Ticket Will Admit Mr. & Mrs. A. V. Dorrrough

—to the MALONE THEATRE

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For President in 1940
BENNETT CHAMP CLARK
OF MISSOURI

We have heard of second hand everything from wives to tooth brushes but the party who propositioned one of the local undertakers this week for a "second hand slightly used casket" seems to be opening up a new field.

We were unable to attend the "Sinful" lecture and show at the Rex Theatre here Monday afternoon and night, judging from the literature that has been circulating since and the fact that about four of the ladies fainting and two of the men had to be revived by the smelling salts route, it must have been the real McCoy. The promoter informed us that as a rule there were more fainters among the men at the performances than women. In fact, in one Arkansas town a doctor fainted and fell down the stairs through his straw hat. Maybe we missed something.

There is a strip of road on Highway 60 just before you reach Van Buren that is the worst from Sikeston to Monett. A coat of heavy oil would help this strip wonderful. This piece of road is in Division 10 under the supervision of Pat Noonan and James Matthews as maintenance engineer. Then over in the Willow Springs Division if G. J. Phillips, maintenance engineer could eliminate a few hundred turns and

twists, matters would be greatly helped.

Personal and Society News From Oran

Ava Ventres was a business caller in Cape Girardeau one afternoon last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Stehr were Cape Girardeau visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Metz and son Clifford were supper guests of their daughter Miss Elvira in Sikeston Wednesday night of last week.

Mrs. Richard Young and baby son of Allenville visited at the Crader home a couple of days last week.

Miss Dorothy Sturgeon has been employed to teach the Gangle school the coming year.

Mrs. Corona Harper and Mrs. Dymple Blocker have been re-employed on the faculty of the Perkins school.

Mr. Berry who was one of the teachers at the Howe school the past year will be on the teaching force at Blodgett.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Chitty of O'Fallon, Illinois spent the weekend with friends. They returned to O'Fallon Monday accompanied by Mrs. Carrie Winters who will visit them for a time.

Mrs. Arthur Bezel and daughter Miss Evelyn and friend, Mr. Amo Weigel of St. Louis spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stone.

Mrs. Joe Stone and sons U. V. and Richard visited Wednesday of last week in Blytheville, Arkansas with Heuler Stone and family. Richard remained for a several week's visit.

Wm. Githens of Chicago and brother Fred of Decatur, Illinois were here Saturday calling on old friends.

Jack Cowger who is employed in St. Louis, spent the weekend with his parents.

Mrs. Cline and Mrs. Rosmussen and children spent Thursday of last week at Pilot Knob.

Mrs. Winters and daughter Mrs. Hazel McGinnis, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Chitty and Mrs. Lora McLain were in Jackson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Graser of St. Louis and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Brucker of Chaffee were Sunday guests at the Will Kilbaker home.

Mrs. Ralph Maddox and children were in St. Louis last week for the graduation of the nurses

class at Missouri Baptist Hospital. Mrs. Maddox' sister, Miss Glenda Norron was a member of the class.

Miss Gladys Glastetter of St. Louis spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Glastetter.

Murray Myers is home from St. Louis.

Mrs. Ben Norrison and sons of Sikeston were here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cummins and children of Sikeston were here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Smith and children, Mr. and Mrs. Seibert Smith and children, Dale Smith and small niece Patty Moss spent the week end at their parents home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Daume and children of St. Louis spent the week end with home folks.

Mrs. Moss of Blodgett spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith.

Mrs. Sarah McLean who resided here a number of years ago passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Genoway in Fredericktown and was buried in the Friend cemetery Monday afternoon. Mrs. McLean was 93 years of age.

Mr. and Mrs. Romine of St. Louis were guests at the Frank Mier home Sunday. Mrs. Romine was Miss Audrey Mier.

Mr. John Sikes of Bonne Terre who with his wife has been visiting at the home of their son Dolph Sikes was taken to St. Francis Hospital in Cape Girardeau last week in a serious condition. Mr. Sikes has been in ill health a number of years and recently suffered a paralytic stroke.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Crews and son of Jackson; Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Patterson and daughter of Cape Girardeau and Mrs. Ed Schatz and two daughters of Dutchtown spent Sunday at the Chas. Oliver home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Soehlig spent the week end with Rev. Seger and family in Wilson Arkansas.

Cline Schatz and family spent Sunday in Morley with Mrs. Schatz' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lett.

Mrs. Odda Dunning, Mrs. Nina Counts and Miss Irene Stehr were Chaffee visitors Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Chas. Oliver, Mrs. Odda Dunning and Mrs. Mary Shingler attended the funeral of Mrs. Flora Daugherty in Morley Tuesday of last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hayden, Jr. and son, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Francis and Sam Bowman, Jr., spent Sunday at Keener Cave.

NEW MADRID COUNTY SCHOOL NEWS

By Milus R. Davis

The assessed valuations of the school districts were not changed much this year. 16 districts were cut some and 23 were raised. The total valuation of the county was raised from \$11,822,551 to \$11,920,191.

The office is flooded with reports through May and June—estimates, enumerations, state aid applications, clerk's financial statements, teachers' term reports etc. Treasurers of consolidated districts report direct to County Clerk (Section 9336). Tuition and transportation reports are made direct to the state superintendent.

In our visit to Jefferson City last week, we found the Senate down to business trying to finish up the session. It now looks like that the regular one-third of the general revenue will be allotted to the schools to be apportioned in the regular manner, despite the fight to cut down the allotment to rural sections. It now looks as if the minimum guarantee will be paid in full next year and some may be paid on the maximum soon. The minimum is \$750 per grade unit for teacher and incidentals, and \$1000 per high school unit.

As usual, teachers' examination will be held on June 4 and 5. The county superintendent grades papers for third and second grade certificates and the state department grades papers for first grade. A bill is now in the legislature which would require all papers to be sent to the state for grading. This bill has passed the Senate but it may have hard sledding in the House.

This county, in the past six years, very few have made second grade certificates and nobody has made a first grade. Our rural schools will be fortunate when they can be filled with teachers who are able to hold second and first grade certificates. At present the salaries are so low that many of our best teachers leave for other fields.

Mildred Miller of Hazel, Kentucky, will teach Music and Home Economics in Matthews High School next term.

Thurman Travelstead of Advance will be principal of the grades at Parma next year.

Bertha Jenkins of Naylor is employed as an extra high school teacher at Marston.

Lately we attended the graduation exercises at Boekerton, Kendall, and Scott. The eighth grade graduates at Boekerton were: Anna Belle Brock, Beaton Dish-er, Emma Chappell, Conway Edwards, Paul Ellis, and Lila Shick.

Those graduating at Kendall were: A. C. Hogan, Melvin Hamilton, Elsie Hamilton, June James, Kathryn Brewer, Nelson Palmer. At the Scott School, James Girvin and Glodine Richardson graduated.

Other eighth grade graduates not previously reported are: New Hope School—Charles Green, Algene Moore, R. G. Arrington. Maple Grove—R. C. Gregg, J. C. Burlison, Silas Belford, Delmar Garland.

Bowman—Bertha Hilburn, Colleen Clinton, Treva York, Glynn Ayers, Everett Wilson.

Fairview—Ila McDonald, Olivia McDonald, Orena Duke, Henry Mason.

Pleasant Valley—Dorothy Harmon, Sarah Harmon, Jimmy Mullin.

Point Pleasant—Mildred Coffey, Marie McCrady, Modena York—Mertus Duke, Modena Hastings, Thelma Hayes, Velma Hayes, Cleddie Jones, J. H. Moore, Mildred Moore.

LaFont—Vera Scherer. Stubblefield—E. L. Schweingruber. Phillips—Merle Hutchison. Clarence Bohannon. Oak Island—Elma Lois Hon. Ralph Parks, Earl Lizenbee. Tinsley—Earl Dooley. LaForge—Mildred Johnson. Sarah Anna Gardner. Farrenburg—Paul Lewis, Helen Eby, Lois Moss. Dawson—David Combs, Louis Householder.

MADE FALSE AFFIDAVIT TO GET MARRIAGE PERMIT

Fredericktown, May 31.—Carl Lewis was fined \$500, with costs, in Judge Walter McFarland's court. Lewis, an Annapolis man, was charged with making a false affidavit. He applied for a marriage license to marry Eva Della Lloyd and swore she was over 18, when she was 15, it is claimed, and it is further claimed that he forged the name of the girl's mother to a permit.

CHAFFEE TEAM WINS OVER MOREHOUSE CLUB

Chaffee, May 31.—Harold Blatt, Chaffee pitcher, allowed the H-H team of Morehouse only 2 hits Sunday and Chaffee won, 4 to 1. Loren Butler, Morehouse twirler, was touched for 12 hits, as the locals got their first victory of the season.

Aubrey Clark, formerly of Matthews, started for Chaffee, hitting two tripples and a double, to drive in the 4 runs. Cheatham, Harrell and Wilcoxson of Chaffee got 2 hits each.

Score by innings:
Chaffee 123 456 789 R H E
Morehouse 202 000 000 4 12 4
Batteries—Blatt and Harrell; Butler and McFarling.

MOTHER'S HELPERS

Strawberries are in season and we have learned to can them. May we help you sometime?

Our 4-H Club met at the home of Mrs. Gus King Monday afternoon. Members present were Wanda King, Betty Lackey, Lelia Gasser, Ada Schuchart, and Stella Schuchart.

Miss Martha Schuchart, leader, sponsored some songs and several interesting games. We are sorry to report that she has resigned as leader to attend summer school at Cape Girardeau.

Mrs. Alvin Gasser, who will be our leader now, showed us how to can strawberries. We used the water pressure cooker and the berries stayed pretty in the jar. Lelia Gasser brought a can of spinach and a can of pineapple that she had canned.

Visitors were Mrs. Forest Lackey and Mrs. Gale King. The next meeting will be June 7, at the Schuchart's home near Morehouse.

You will hear from us again.—Reporter.

CHURCH SCHOOL TO BEGIN AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The Daily Vacation Church School of the Presbyterian Church will begin Monday, June 7, and will continue for two weeks. Classes will begin at 8:30 o'clock each morning. The school will be held for four groups—Beginners, Primary, Junior and Intermediate, and will include boys and girls from five years old through sixteen. Children from any denomination who would like to attend will be welcome. Miss Anna Kimbrough from the

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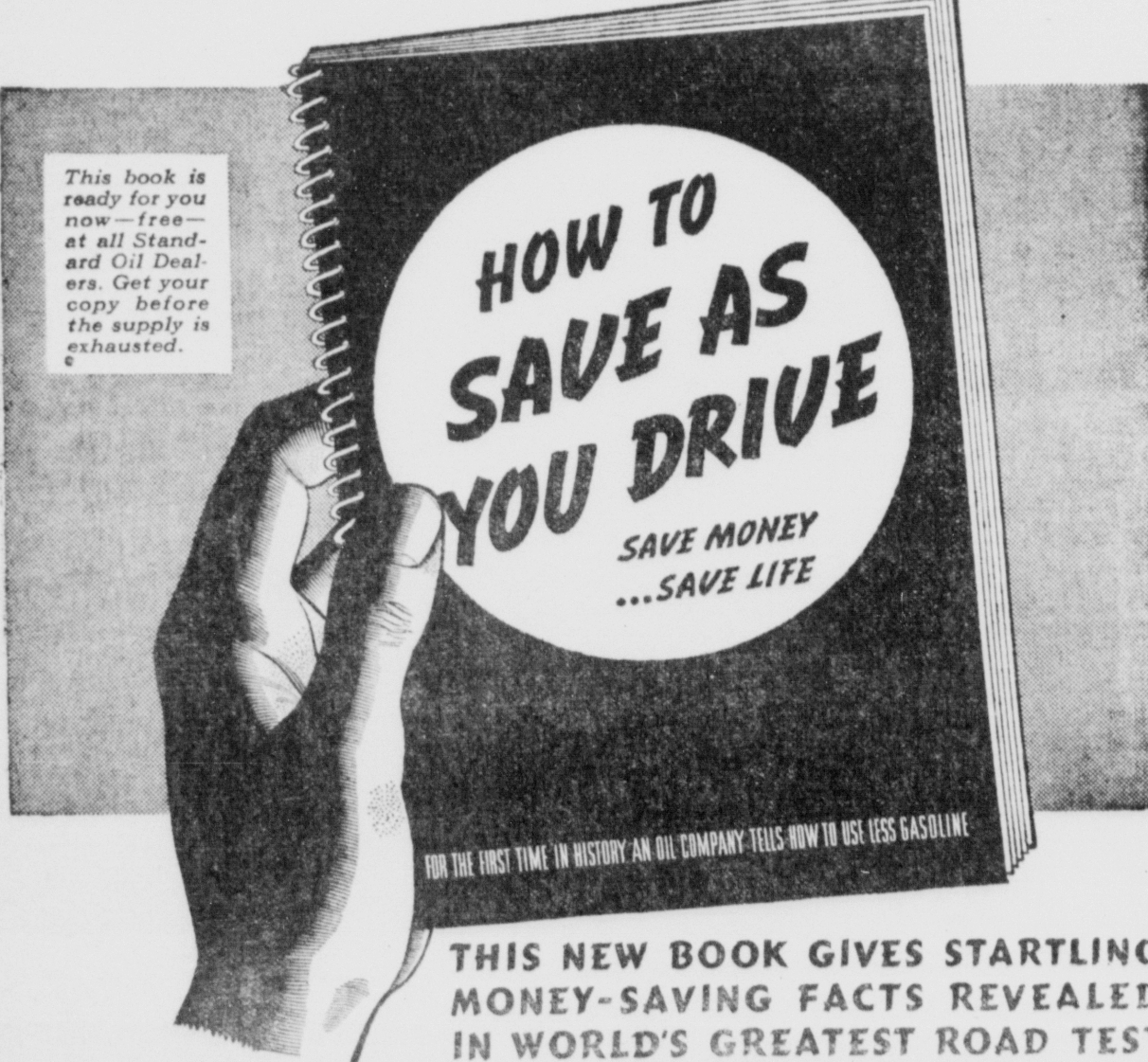
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Personal News of Sikeston

Mrs. Ed Kendall, Reporter, Phones 761w and 137

Miss Lucille Mount, Miss Daisy Evans and Electa O'Hara will leave the last part of the week for Bowling Green, Ky., where the former will attend Southwestern University and the latter two will enroll in the Bowling Green Business College.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Woods of Kansas City arrived Monday to visit the former's sister, Mrs. Jas. Dowdy and Mr. Dowdy. Mr. Woods is with the Associated Press in Kansas City.

Marlo Gray of Morehouse was taken in the Albritton ambulance to the St. Francis Hospital in Cape Girardeau Friday night, suffering from gangrene caused by an infected leg.

Mrs. Nell Atkinson and son Carl, of Hollywood, Calif., arrived Friday for a two weeks visit with the former's sister, Mrs. Ben Carroll.

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Mrs. Flavia Patterson of Morehouse, Mrs. Ben Carroll and her guests, Mrs. Nell Atkinson and son Carl of Hollywood, Calif., and Miss Flavia Carroll, were in Cape Girardeau, Saturday.

Tamara Rohald is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Lappin of 6344 Southwood Avenue, St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan McCoy and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Malone are spending the week at the Club house on Current river near Doniphan.

Mrs. C. L. Whitener of Fredericktown is spending the week visiting her brothers, C. C. and Edgar White and their families. She will also visit in Bertrand before returning home.

Miss Irene Shelton was taken in the Albritton ambulance to Brandon Hospital in Poplar Bluff, Monday night for an appendix operation.

A son born Saturday at St. Francis Hospital in Cape Girardeau, to Mr. and Mrs. Pinnell Hunter of New Madrid, has been named William Pinnell. Mrs. Hunter is the former Miss Frances Magill, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Magill of Cape Girardeau and Mr. Hunter is a son of

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hunter of New Madrid.

Mrs. George M. Allen of 310 Kendall St., underwent a gall stone operation in St. Mary's Infirmary at Cairo Tuesday. Her condition is reported to be satisfactory.

Miss Lillian Belle Taylor left today (Friday) for Waco, Tex., for a few weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. U. Taylor.

R. A. McCord is visiting relatives in Indiana.

J. F. Cox returned Wednesday after a visit with his father, W. F. Cox at Washington, Ind.

Mrs. Ruth E. Putnam and Miss Lillian Putnam will leave Friday night for Nashville, Tenn., where the latter will enroll in Peabody college for the summer course.

Mrs. Putnam will be met in Nashville by her son, Harry Putnam, and accompany him to his home in La Follette, Tenn., for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. John Russell were in St. Louis from Friday until Monday.

G. C. Baker, Bob Matthews and Dempsey Gardner spent from Monday until Thursday at the club house on Current river near Doniphan.

Mrs. Louis Graber and children and her guests, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Lanberg and family of St. Louis were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Graber in Kennett, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Boyce had their parents as week end guests. They were Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Boyce and Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Green, of Anna, Ill.

Louis Graber returned Wednesday from a business trip to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Lanberg and family of St. Louis spent the week end with Mrs. Lanberg's sister, Mrs. Louis Graber.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Matthews spent Wednesday and Thursday in St. Louis.

Mrs. Z. E. McAmis and son left Sunday for an extended visit in Athens, Tenn.

Miss Margaret Harris will arrive Sunday morning from Dallas, Texas, where she is a member of the High School faculty, to spend the summer with her mother, Mrs. Kate Harris.

Miss Lydia Chaney and Mrs. Della Poe of Oran will leave Monday for Nashville, Tenn., to enter Peabody college for the summer course.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Baber and children, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gasson and family spent Sunday and Monday at Sam Baker State Park north of Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Terrell, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Spencer and Mrs. Byron File spent Saturday and Sunday in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Cohen and son returned Tuesday from

Dayton, Ohio, where Mrs. Cohen and baby had spent the past month. Mr. Cohen joined them ten days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Crumpecker of Morehouse entertained Tuesday night with a dance at the Cellar, in Charleston, in honor of their guests from Fredericktown. Miss Edith Becker is visiting relatives in Chicago for two weeks.

Mrs. Sarah Kappler and sons, Albert and Andrew, Roscoe Legland, and Mrs. Kappler's nieces, Miss Berdie and Ida Oliver, of Sikeston visited the Blytheville, Ark., radio station Sunday.

KENTUCKY GIRL'S BODY TAKEN FROM MISSISSIPPI

New Madrid, May 29.—The body of a young woman identified as Miss Lucille Scott, 20 years old, of Hickman, Ky., was taken from the Mississippi River two miles north of here today by Chris Hartman and his son, Fred, who were fishing.

Miss Scott was reported to have fallen from an excursion steamer at Hickman Tuesday night. Identification was made by Lynn Jonakin and Jack Allen, both of New Madrid but formerly of Hickman.

ATTEND DINNER IN ILLMO Otto Schoen and his mother entertained with a dinner at their home in Farnfelt Sunday evening, in honor of the birth anniversary of Otto and Charles Schoen, who are twin brothers, and the graduation of Otto Schoen's daughter, Miss Mary Margaret from the Parochial School at Farnfelt.

Guests at the dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Malcolm of Sikeston; Mr. and Mrs. Loren Tomlinson; Mr. and Mrs. Tony Baumdistel; Dr. and Mrs. Cannon and Emil Steck, all of Farnfelt and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Schoen and daughter of Hamburg.

MRS. SUSAN MARRS SUCCEMBS FRIDAY EVE. Mrs. Susan Marrs died Friday evening at the age of 58, at her home in Sikeston. She is survived by her husband, Marion Marrs, and seven daughters, Mrs. Birdie Parrish, Morehouse; Mrs. Ada Murphy, Morehouse; Mrs. Anna Hill, Illinois; Mrs. Pearl Weakley, Morehouse; Mrs. Florence Wilson, America, Ill.; Mrs. Alma White, Bay City, Mich. Services were held at 2 o'clock Saturday by Rev. Ernest Pullen, at the Church of God. Interment was in Memorial Park Cemetery with Albritton service.

Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Jack Watson, 301 Kathleen, Monday evening, June 7. Mrs. Alfred Byrd and Mrs. Lynn Ancell will be assistant hostesses.

Miss Helen Thomas Wed In Pasadena, California. Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Helen Thomas, daughter of Mr. and

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NATIONAL ESSAY CHAMPION



Miss Eleanor Duncan, Liberty, Mo., who has just been declared national champion in the 14th annual meat story contest conducted by the National Live Stock and Meat Board, with an essay entitled, "The Food Value of Meat". She won this coveted honor and a university scholarship in competition with high school students from coast to coast.

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DURBIN INFANT DIES IN CANALOU

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Biford Durbin of Canolou died Friday morning. Funeral services were held at 4 o'clock Friday in the home. Interment was in Big Ridge cemetery with Albritton service.

WRECKS SATURDAY NIGHT

Charges of reckless driving were filed in City Police Court last Saturday night by George Dixon of near Salcedo following a collision of his car with one driven by Russell Dawson of near Essex. Dixon's 12-year-old son who was slightly injured was treated by Dr. T. C. McClure. The accident happened about 11:30 Saturday night near the Rev. Self filling station just north of town. Charges were dropped after Dawson paid for damages on the car and for medical services to the boy.

Another accident involving two out of town cars occurred just west of town about 1:00 o'clock Saturday night but no serious injuries or damages were reported.

Two Fined For Being Drunk

George Dockins was arrested for being drunk on the streets of Sikeston last week end by night police Carson and Sitzes and fined \$8.00 in Police Court before Judge Brown Jewell. Jettie Johnson, colored, was fined \$8.00 on similar charges.

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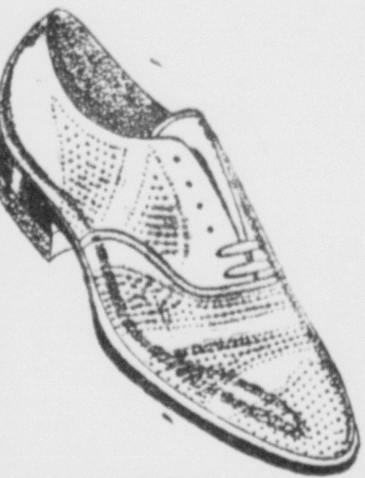


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The shower of rain that fell in Sikeston Wednesday night might be called a Blessed Event, for in a way it was. Gardens, yards and flower beds were greatly refreshed and we hope all Southeast Missouri was visited by the rain as farm lands planted to cotton and corn needed moisture.

That Ford pick-up truck that is parked about the Mosoleum two or three times a week after dusk leads the neighbors to wonder just who is leading a double life and if there won't be Old Ned raised when Pappy finds it out. The party should change parking place until tongues stop wagging.

WATCH FOOD FOR SPOILAGE

Extreme care must be used in the handling of left-over foods during hot weather to avoid dangerous spoilage. Left-overs of meat pies, dishes made with cream sauce, gravies, custards and boiled or cream salad dressing must be carefully handled and should be used promptly.

In general, left-over foods should be transferred promptly from the dishes in which they were served to separate, clean, dry covered dishes, then chilled as quickly as possible and kept in the cold storeroom or the refrigerator. They should be boiled or thoroughly heated before they are served again. Warming up such foods is not enough—it may even increase the danger by raising the temperature to a point favorable to the growth of microorganisms and not high enough to destroy them.

Moist cooked foods, particularly those of a protein nature, such as milk, eggs, meat, or fish are excellent breeding places for harmful microorganisms, including bacillus botulinus that cause serious poisoning as ptomaine poison without making the food small or taste spoiled. The bacteria which infest food are found everywhere and multiply rapidly when given a favorable temperature, food and the necessary moisture. They seem to be especially partial to meat, fish, and cream fillings for cake and pies.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Services will be broadcast from the Presbyterian Church Sunday Morning from 9:00 to 10:00 over station. The pastor will preach on the subject: "The Comforting Hand Of The Lord."

Evening services will be held at 8:00.

A cordial welcome is extended to all to attend these services.

The Woman's Auxiliary will meet Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Arthur Burrows.

DANCE PROGRAM GIVEN AT LIONS INSTALLATION

Mrs. O. T. Elder was in charge of the dance program given in connection with the picnic supper and installation of new Lions Club officers held in the Armory Thursday night, June 3.

The program arrangement was as follows: Alice Blue Gown Dance by Evelyn Cline, Carolyn Weltecke, Sue Tanner, Shirley Shainberg, Patsy Ruth Gentles, Betty Jane Taylor, Phyllis Harrison, Rosemary Putnam, Mary Lewis and Alice Van Horne.

Song and dance, Mary Ann Tomerlin; solo dance, Patsy Ruth Gentles; barn dance, Mary Lewis, Rosemary Putnam, Betty Jane Taylor and Patsy Ruth Gentles.

Merry Widow Dance by Esther Jane Greer, Helen Vera Dudley, Gwendolyn Kirk, Catherine Ann Cook, Mary Jane Sikes and Mary Lewis.

Mrs. Paul Trotter of Campbell was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Marion Shelton, Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Jones are parents of a daughter, born Thursday morning at St. Francis Hospital in Cape Girardeau.

Mr. and Mrs. Garwood Sharp were in St. Louis over the week. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Davis returned Tuesday after spending several days in Vincennes, Ind.

Jesse Chapman

Desires to announce to his friends that beginning Monday, he will be located with

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ORANGE BLOSSOMS FROM THE KITCHEN

Refreshing and appropriate at this season, orange-flavored delicacies are especially appealing just now. They are particularly desirable for party service and are always welcomed, of course, at the family dinner table. The Home Economics Extension Bureau in the orange-growing states have been most diligent in creating recipes utilizing this delectable fruit and we heartily recommend the Ambrosia Pie and Orange Layer Cake originated by the Florida Extension Department. An excellent recipe for Orange Quick Bread follows which is also well worth trying.

Ambrosia Pie

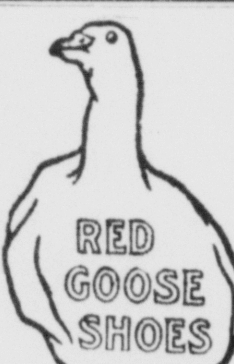
Pasty:
2 cups soft wheat flour
1 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon baking powder
8 tablespoons fat
4/5 tablespoons cold water
Sift flour, measure, add salt and baking powder. Sift together. Cut fat into mixture. Blend well. Add water very gradually. Mix into a dry dough. Toss on floured board. Roll to 1/4 inch thickness. Fit into 9-inch pie pans. Bake 10 to 12 minutes in a hot oven (425°F.)

Filling:
1/2 cup soft wheat flour
1/2 cup sugar
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup water
1/2 cup orange juice
3/4 teaspoons grated orange rind
2 tablespoons lemon juice
1/2 teaspoon grated lemon rind
Mix the flour, sugar, and salt in top of double boiler. Add the water and egg yolks, mixing thoroughly. Cook over rapidly boiling water ten minutes, stirring constantly. Remove from boiling water and add the fruit juice and rind. Chill. Turn into baked pie shells.

Meringue:
2 unbeaten egg whites
1/2 cup sugar
1/2 teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons water
1 orange
3/4 cup coconut
Combine the egg whites, sugar, salt, and water in top of double boiler. Beat with rotary beater until thoroughly mixed. Place over rapidly boiling water and beat 1 minute. Remove from fire and continue beating one minute, or until mixture will stand in peaks. Pile lightly on filling. Peel orange and cut segments free of membrane. Arrange segments on meringue and sprinkle with coconut.

Orange Layer Cake

1/2 cup butter
1 cup sugar
2 egg yolks
3/4 teaspoon grated orange rind
1/4 cup orange juice
1/4 cup water
2 cups soft wheat flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
2 teaspoons baking powder
2 stiffly beaten egg whites
Cream the butter, add the sugar gradually, then the well-beaten egg yolks, grated rind, orange juice, and water slowly. Sift the flour, salt and baking powder together and add half of it to the cake mixture. Fold in one half of the egg whites, then remainder of flour mixture, and last, the rest of the egg whites. Mix well between each addition. Bake in two large, or three small, greased layer-cake pans, or in muffin pans, in a moderate oven (350°F.) 45 minutes.



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(350°F.) 15 to 20 minutes. Put together with filling of frosting and cover top and sides with Orange Butter Frosting.

Orange Butter Frosting

3 teaspoons grated orange rind
1/2 teaspoons grated lemon rind
4 tablespoons orange juice
2 teaspoons lemon juice
3 tablespoons butter
1 egg yolk, unbeaten
1/2 teaspoon salt
3 cups sifted confectioners' sugar
Add orange and lemon rind to fruit juice and let stand 10 minutes; strain if desired. Cream butter, add egg yolk, and salt and mix well. Add part of sugar gradually, blending after each addition. Add remaining sugar, alternately with fruit juice, until of right consistency to spread. Beat after each addition until smooth. Makes enough frosting to cover tops and sides of two 9-inch layers, or top and sides of 8x8x2 inch cake (generously), or about 3 dozen medium cup cakes.

Orange Bread

Rinds of 2 large or 3 small oranges
1/2-cup sugar
1 cup water
Summer rinds in hot water 10 minutes. Drain, cover with water again and cook until tender. Drain and shred. Add 1/2 cup water and 1/2 cup sugar and cook slowly until a thick syrup forms and the rinds have become semi-transparent. Cool. There should be 1/2 cup.

Make a batter of the following ingredients:
2 1/2 cups soft wheat flour
4 teaspoons baking powder
1/2 cup sugar
1/2 teaspoon salt
3 eggs
3/4 cup milk
1/2 cup orange juice
1 teaspoon lemon juice
2 tablespoons melted shortening
Sift together all dry ingredients. Combine all liquid ingredients and meringue. Combine dry and liquid ingredients, mixing only until the dry ones are thoroughly moistened. Bake in loaf pans in moderate oven (350°F.) 45 minutes.

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Nearly a Hundred Enroll For Recreation Activities

Close to a hundred boys and girls registered at the high school grounds Tuesday and Wednesday of this week for the Sikeston WPA Recreational Program directed by Coach Wm. E. Mahew. The ages of those registering ranged from 6 to 20 years. Parents who have children wishing to take advantage of the Recreation Program are urged to have them enroll as soon as possible so a definite schedule of play and game activities may be worked out.

During the first few days of the program activities the tennis courts back of the high school have been filled to capacity during all hours of the day. The softball diamond on the football field and the base ball diamond at the park were also busy. Softball, soccer, touch football and base ball were the most popular activities of the first few days.

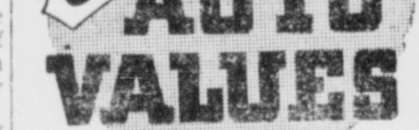
A softball game played Tuesday night under the floodlights by boys ranging from 8 to 18 years of age created quite a bit of excitement. The batteries were Ray Carl Marsh and Clarence Rafferty vs. Roy Wagner and Nat Watkins. The Wagner-Watson combination won by a close score.

Plans are now being made to organize a girls' softball league and those interested should register, or at least report to Coach Mahew so the teams may be arranged.

Tennis courts and a softball diamond are being prepared on the South Grade School Grounds and they will be ready for use by Tuesday, June 8, according to an announcement by Corliss Jones, WPA district recreational advisor.

Through the cooperation of the Project sponsors, the Kiwanis club, the Lions club and the Senior and Junior Chambers plenty of equipment is available for the people of Sikeston and it may be used free of charge to make their leisure time more enjoyable.

Coach Mahew is being assisted in his activities as director by Mrs. Era Edmonson and Miss



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Scouts To Attend Lewallen Camp

Lee Austin Bowman, Gene Cline and John Russell Felker, who have been selected from Sikeston Boy Scout troops to attend the National Scout Jamboree at Washington D. C. from June 30 to July 9 will leave for a five day Jamboree training camp at Camp Lewallen on the St. Francis River in Wayne County about two miles north of Sylva, around June 20.

Man Dies of Rare Disease Which Turned Him Black

Santa Ana, Cal., June 1.—William L. Morrison, 49 years old, victim of a rare disease which turned him black, died yesterday. An autopsy which he authorized before his death disclosed a "surprising amount of black substance" over the bones and organs, particularly the liver. The brain also was coated by the dark substance, but not penetrated by it.

Physicians had diagnosed the disease as melanosis, resulting from a tumor on the liver. The autopsy failed to disclose the tumor.

Dr. John Montanus, county autopsy surgeon, said a microscopic examination of the black substance and a further study of the case would be made.

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son, 42, wife of a Jonesboro, Ark., employee of an undertaking firm; Mrs. W. F. Walker, 67, Jonesboro, mother of Mrs. Johnson; Tallie Sartin, 33, St. Louis; Leslie Ingram, 22, Mono, Ark.; Susie Hill, 35, negro, Memphis; and Ed Love, 70, negro, Harviell.

All the injured were removed to Poplar Bluff hospitals. Hines died shortly after the accident of a brain concussion, crushed chest and severe head lacerations. The steering wheel and cowl of the heavy motor coach pinned the driver's body to the ground. It was Hines' second trip, and he was unfamiliar with the road, another driver said.

ALMERIA ONE OF SPAIN'S MOST IMPORTANT PORTS; HISTORY DATES TO 19 B. C.

Almeria, on the Mediterranean, about 100 miles east of Gibraltar, has been one of the important seaports of southern Spain since the Roman occupation, its greatness dating from 19 B. C. It is the capital of a province of the same name and has a population of 36,000. Its harbor, sheltered and especially adapted to vessels of large draft, is equipped with oil fuel depots and all modern facilities. A railroad from Mad-

rid has its terminus there. Under Mohammedan rule it was a great arsenal, whence its name—Almeria meaning arsenal in Arabic. The port has been fortified to some extent since the outbreak of the civil war—to what extent is not definitely known, the loyalist garrison of the town hanging set up shore batteries in addition to the old coast guard defenses.

TANNER GIRLS ORGANIZE 4-H SEWING CLUB TUES.

A group of girls met with Miss Ella Fikuart Tuesday afternoon at the Tanner school house and organized a 4-H Sewing Club. They are to meet every Wednesday, the first meeting to be at the home of Rosemary Bagbey on June 9 at 2 o'clock. The name "Sewing Pals" was chosen for the club and the following officers were elected:

Leader—Miss Eleanor Hahn.
Assistant leader—Mrs. William Bagbey.
President—Doris Jamison.
Vice-president—Betty Jean Hill.
Secretary-treasurer—Rose Mary Bagbey.
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LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cotton have moved to Fredericktown for the summer. Mr. Cotton is employed with the State Highway Department.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Gasche, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hudson of Charleston, spent last week end at Ironton, Arcadia and Round Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Buchanan and son of Rolla, Mo., visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Buchanan this week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Crowell returned Tuesday night after spending a month with relatives in Little Rock, Ark.

Miss Louise Cutliff of East Prairie is spending this week as the guest of Miss Dale Newcomer.

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FOR SALE—3-room house, 2 porches, pantry, water and lights, near factory. Young Stark orchard, big chicken yard, 3 large lots. Price \$900.—Call at Standard office. 72-74

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Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Mocabee spent the first of the week in Doniphan and Poplar Bluff.

Mrs. Ralph Kelly of Oklahoma City, who spent several weeks here with her sister, Mrs. Clay Mitchell went to Chaffee Tuesday to visit a brother, Mont Proffitt.

Mrs. H. L. Smith and son Lynn Smith and Mrs. Ella Old expect to leave Sunday to spend several weeks in Hot Springs, Ark.

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Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Smith and children were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cummins.

Tommy Marshall will visit his aunt, Mrs. Chas. Evans, in St. Louis, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Northington and two children left Tuesday to spend a week with relatives in Guthrie, Ky., and Clarksville, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hollenbeck will go to St. Louis today to attend the funeral of a relative.

Mrs. Herman Mattingly and daughter were guests of Mrs. Robt. Wilson in Jackson, Wednesday night.

F. D. Lair and C. F. Bruton spent Wednesday in Memphis, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Murback returned Sunday from Fayette, Mo., where they spent a brief time with Don Robinson prior to his departure for Los Angeles, Calif., where he has a position for the summer months. Mrs. Don Robinson will come to Sikeston this week for a week's visit with her husband's parents and sister, before leaving for California to join her husband. Mrs. Murback was accompanied home by Miss Betty Dickey, whose marriage to Arch Russell, Jr., will be a June event.

Mrs. Jerry Saunders of Paducah, Ky., is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Carroll, this week end.

Mrs. F. D. Lair visited in Charleston Thursday.

Miss Helen E. Smith To Wed Daniel C. Beattie
June 26, in Washington

Invitations were received Thursday to the wedding of Miss Helen Elizabeth Smith, daughter of Judge and Mrs. William Strother Smith of Sikeston, and Daniel Currie Beattie, at four o'clock Saturday afternoon, June the twenty-sixth, in Saint Matthews Church in Washington City.

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After the fifteenth of July the young couple will be at home at 1606 Twentieth Street, Northwest, in Washington.

Mrs. W. E. Smith and Mrs. Walter Ansell, mother and sister of the prospective bride, and Miss Willietta Sayers of Bernie, Mo., a cousin, will leave here on June 20th at attend the wedding.

Mrs. Willa Helena Eby
Interred Wednesday Afternoon

The body of Mrs. Willa Helena Eby, 25, wife of Lloyd Eby of near LaForge was interred Wednesday afternoon at Memorial Park following funeral services at 2:00 p. m. conducted by Sister Pearl Rhodes of Libourn, Mo.

Mrs. Eby died at the St. Francis Hospital in Cape Girardeau following a two years illness from complications of myasthenia gravis, a muscular disease, which, according to attending physician Dr. T. C. McClure is a very rare disease.

Mrs. Eby was the oldest daughter of Charles Robbs, prominent farmer of LaForge, and she is survived in addition to her parents and her husband by two children, Charles, 4, and Alice Faye, 1, a brother, Van Robbs and a sister, Mrs. Vera Hawkins, both of LaForge, Welsh Service.

M. E. Missionary Societies
To Hold Dist. Meeting

A district meeting of the Methodist Missionary Societies will be held Friday morning, June 4, at Morley. The morning session will start at 9 o'clock.

W. C. T. U. MEETING

The W. C. T. U. will meet Wednesday, June 9, with Mrs. Harvey Morrison at her home on Moore Avenue. Flower Mission Day will be observed at this meeting by distributing flowers to shut-ins.

The meeting will start at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and will be followed by a covered dish supper in the garden.

Veteran's Graves Decorated
At Memorial Services

Graves of veterans of the World War and previous wars at the City Cemetery, Memorial Park, Hunter Cemetery and Sunset Edition Cemetery were decorated at Memorial Day services last Sunday.

A large crowd attended the program at the City Cemetery and the principal speaker, Rev. Father Walter G. Craig of Chaffee, Mo., was introduced by M. E. Montgomery following a selection by the High School Band and the Invocation by the Rev. Verne F. Oglesby, pastor of the Sikeston Baptist Church. Following the address the Band played another selection and the Benediction was given by Rev. E. H. Oren. A squad from Company K of the National Guard fired the Salute and Taps were blown by C. C. Cummins.

The order of march from Malone Park at 2:15 o'clock was Highway Patrol, Sikeston High School Band, Co. K, 140th Infantry, Henry Meldrum Post American Legion, Ex-service men, Sons of the American Legion, Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts and Cub Scout Troop.

DESIGNS FOR SWEETNESS
By Josephine Beardsley
The fragrance of spring flowers, strawberry shortcake, sweet girl graduates, brides—all these are sweet, but the sweetest product of this delectable season is, you must admit, new honey! This is the time of the year to

Palace Cafe
Sunday Menu

Tomato Juice
Grapefruit Juice
Baked Ham with Raisin Sauce
Fried Chicken Southern Style
Swiss Steak
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have hot biscuits and honey, muffins and honey, scones and honey, or to use honey as a sweetening in any one of a number of delicious combinations with wheat flour. Honey should be slightly warmed before using so that it will "drizzle" nicely. To do this, place the honey jar in warm—not hot—water for about ten minutes.

Honey is sweetest plus flavor and this must be borne in mind when selecting a foundation for it. The lighter colored honeys such as clover, orange blossom, sage, and alfalfa are mildly flavored and can be used on fruit breads with great success. The more highly flavored honeys, such as buckwheat, should be served with a plain foundation. Buckwheat honey adds to the spicy flavor of gingerbread, date bread, and nut cookies when substituted for sugar. In replacing sugar with honey in recipes, reduce the liquid to be used one-fifth for each cup of honey used. We present three excellent foundations for honey and three recipes having honey as an ingredient.

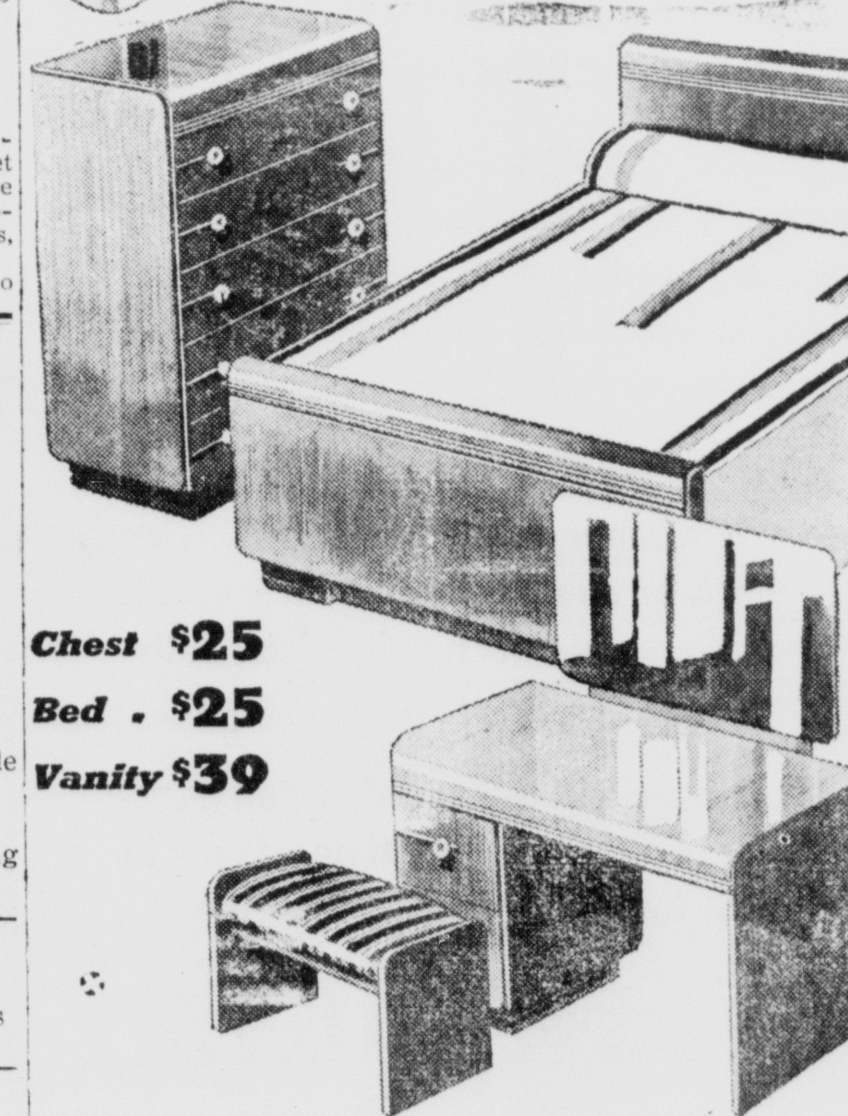
Sweet Milk Biscuits
2 cups soft wheat flour
1 teaspoon salt
2 teaspoons baking powder
2-4 tablespoons shortening
Sweet milk to make soft dough (approximately 2/3 cup)
Sift the flour, salt, and baking powder together; add shortening, and cut or rub it into the flour; add the milk to make a soft dough; roll 1/2 inch thick, cut, and bake in a hot oven (400-450° F.).

Sour Milk Biscuits
2 cups soft wheat flour
1/2 teaspoon soda
1 teaspoon salt
2-4 tablespoons shortening
Buttermilk to make soft dough (approximately 3/4 cup)
Sift the flour, soda, and salt together, add the shortening, and cut or rub it into the flour; add milk to make a soft dough; knead lightly, roll 1/2 inch thick, cut, and bake in a hot oven (400-450° F.). Do not grease the pan or sheet upon which the biscuits are to be baked.

Muffins
2 cups soft wheat flour
4 teaspoons baking powder
1/2 teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons sugar
1 cup milk
1 egg
2 tablespoons melted shortening
Sift flour before measuring and sift together the flour, baking powder, salt, and sugar. Beat egg and add to milk. Pour gradually into flour mixture to avoid lumps. Add melted shortening. Stir only enough to moisten all ingredients. Fill greased muffin pan 2/3 full. Bake in hot oven (400° F.) 20 to 25 minutes.

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Honey Cloverleaf Rolls

2 cakes compressed yeast
1/2 cup water
1/3 cup milk
2/3 cup shortening
1 cup warm mashed potatoes
2/3 cup honey
1 teaspoon salt
2 eggs
6 1/2 to 7 cups soft wheat flour
Dissolve yeast in lukewarm water. Scald milk and add shortening, honey, mashed potatoes, and salt. Blend well. Cool to lukewarm and add well beaten eggs. Add enough flour to make a soft dough that will not stick. Knead for 10 minutes, wrap in wax paper or put in tightly covered bowl. Store in refrigerator and use as needed. Dough will keep several days.

To make Cloverleaf Rolls, form dough into small balls that will fill a muffin pan about one-half full. Place three balls of dough in each greased muffin pan. Let rise until light, or double in bulk. Bake in a moderate oven (375° F.) 10 to 15 minutes.

Honey Cake

1/2 cup shortening
1 cup honey
1 egg
1/2 cup sour milk
2 cups soft wheat flour
1 teaspoon soda
1/2 teaspoon ginger
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon salt
Cream butter and honey, add egg, and beat. Sift dry ingredients, add alternately with milk. Bake for 40 minutes at 360° F.

Honey Cones

2 cups soft wheat flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon baking powder
2 tablespoons butter
4 tablespoons honey
1/2 cup milk
Mix and sift dry ingredients together. Cut in butter until mixture looks like coarse meal. Mix honey and milk and add. Work into a dough, pat out on board and cut into any shape desired. Bake at 450° F. until brown. Serve hot with pat of butter, honey or jam.

RADIO ROUNDER

By Chuck Cochard
Louis Armstrong's torrid band and an all-colored show will be the feature attraction of the program replacing the Robert Ripley-Ozzie Nelson "Believe It Or Not" group when the present stars leave for their summer vacation. The sensational orchestral discovery of 1937, Tommy Dorsey, will have full sway on the Kool cigarette program when Jack Pearl and Cliff Hall leave for their summer outing. Edgar Bergen leaves the Rudy

Vallee variety hour on June 29 and leaves immediately for Hollywood and a picture. Speaking of Hollywood, Fibber McGee and Molly, now in the film city, will appear with Buddy Rogers and Shirley Ross in the opus, "This Way Please."

Milton Berie is playing the first romantic role of his career. Previous to his part in "New Faces of 1937", he has never played other than the comedian's character. Walter Winchell liked the "Orchid to You" score which Raymond Paige played for him on the Hollywood Hotel review of "Wake Up and Live", so well that he wanted to buy it. Paige is presenting it to him as a gift. Andre Kostelanetz planned in Hollywood last week for a ten-day stay to work on "Artists and Models" for Paramount. Harry Hoffman, his violinist, takes over the baton for his CBS broadcast. New name for Ken Murray's picture at Universal is "Young Man's Fancy". Victor Moore with seven male actors will present a travesty on the trip tease dance in his forthcoming picture "Missus America," co-starring Helen Proderick. Grace Moore is back in Hollywood. Don Forbes, chief KNX announcer, Columbia's Hollywood outlet, has been named barker on the new Moore show.

Lester Tremayne is taking a three-week vacation in Florida. Guy Lombardo will play for the college proms at North Carolina State, the University of Virginia, Virginia Military Institute, and Annapolis. The "Broadway Varieties" gang of

Elizabeth Lennox, Carmela Ponselle, Oscar Shaw, and Victor Arden ate cake at a recent Friday broadcast, celebrating the start of the program's fifth year on the air.

By the way did you hear the guest appearance of Block and Sully on the Jack Benny Sunday night broadcast (April 25). It is being rumored that they might take over the summer Jello show with Don Wilson. The sponsors of Fibber McGee and Molly ought to change their time on the air because it means you can't listen to this airing due to the Lux Radio Theatre which is on at the same hour. I just can't imagine anyone tuning out the Radio Theatre for Fibber McGee and Molly. Nelson Eddy is now on the Sunday coffee show with Don Ameche.

A decision of the United States Court of Appeals in Washington recently to the effect that it will not review the challenge as to the constitutionality of municipal light plants being built with government funds seems to be a case in point with the Kennett situation. Unless the utilities bringing this action on appeal to the Supreme Court it would seem the way is opened now for the loan to the Kennett people to be released and their plant built. In announcing its position in this matter the Justice quoted said: "(the companies) are not in position to question the source from which municipalities may derive the funds to construct plants, whether it be lawful or unlawful" and further "That fact that, in furnishing the funds which

will enable municipalities to engage in such competition the administrator may have exceeded his authority or may have acted under an unconstitutional statute, does not effect the situation." Kennett has had the grant for a light plant for several years but has been unable to make use of it because of the legal controversy which this construction of the situation would seem to end. —Caruthersville Democrat.

Gold and platinum seekers who feel the lure of the recent strike in the Far North were warned by veterans in Alaska, recalling tragedies of the Klondike and Nome stampedes, to prepare thoroughly before joining new rushes at Kuskokwin, Goodnews and Togiak bays.

Two workmen were watching the operation of an immense excavating machine which shovelled up five tons of earth with each scoop.

"Bill," said one, "if it weren't for that blasted shovel, five hundred of us might be busy with spades."

"Yes," answered the other, "and if it weren't for spades, fifty thousand of us might be busy with teaspoons."

Loud noises to kill germs. The same invisible sound waves may pull huge aeroplanes and their pilots apart in the next war. An interesting and instructive article in the American Weekly, the magazine distributed with next Sunday's Chicago Herald and Examiner.

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Personal And Society Items From Matthews

Ollie Warren returned home Friday from a two weeks visit in Rector, Ark., with his mother, Mrs. Hollie Warren, Mrs. Warren accompanied her son home for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mize and sons of Sikeston visited Mr. and Mrs. Claud Mize here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hogan and Mrs. Harry Brown and little daughter Barbara arrived Saturday to visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Deane.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Depro entertained the following at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gurney and little daughter Janice, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Depro of Sikeston, Mrs. Alfred Depro of Morehouse, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Deane and children, and Miss Helen McGee and Ralph Deane of this place.

Little Miss Zolita Clayton of Clarkton is spending a few days here this week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clayton.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Englehart and sons of Leadwood are visiting with friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dances and little son spent Saturday in Sikeston with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Holderby.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Alsop motored to St. Louis Sunday.

Mrs. Albert Deane and daughters, Helen and Betty, visited with Mrs. George Steele in Sikeston Tuesday.

Miss Irene Sutton of St. Louis spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Sutton.

Mrs. Britt McGee and daughter Arline spent a few days in Cape Girardeau the past week with Mrs. McGee's brother Bryan Burns and family.

Pat Blaylock of Leadwood is spending a few days here with friends.

Supt. and Mrs. J. W. Huckstep and children are spending a few days in Washington County with relatives.

HOUSEHOLD is the WORD. Watch for announcement. Phone 382.

Sikeston Men To Dexter For Checker Play Tuesday

At a meeting of members of the Southeast Missouri Checker Association held at Dexter Tuesday

night Tom Clark of Dexter won first and William Thomason of Dexter second in the two move restriction style of play. The Association meets about once a month during the summer months and the next meeting will probably be held at Fredericktown or Doniphan according to Roy Alcorn, member from Sikeston. K. A. Patterson and Roy Alcorn of Sikeston and Clint Edwards of Bloomfield also took part in the tournament Tuesday night.

According to Patterson matches with Kansas City and St. Joseph teams to be played in Jefferson City in July are being arranged.

Personal and Society News from Pleasant Valley

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Larcom and family had as their guests over the week end their son, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Larcom and family of St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Inman and family of Hayti are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Inman and Mr. and Mrs. Stanfill and family.

Anna Allen had as her guests Sunday, Irene and Virginia Stanfill.

Gale and Lillie Allen had as their guests Sunday, Vera Shelton, Bert and Luther Stanfill.

Practice has begun on the Children's Day Program to be given Sunday, June 20. There will be all day services.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shelton

attended services at the Silent Hill Church Sunday.

We are sorry to report Mrs. C. C. Clark on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Hallis McCellen of Granite City, Ill., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Clark.

SCOTT COUNTY PONDERS BONDING ITS DEBTS

Benton, Mo., June 1.—A meeting of the County Court was held here Monday, together with a delegation of representative citizens from various parts of the county, to consider voting a bond issue for the purpose of paying the outstanding indebtedness of the county, about \$55,000 in warrants, judgments and unpaid bills. An old law permitted County Courts to issue up to 100 per cent in warrants of the anticipated revenue, and the tax collections have fallen as low as 60 per cent in some years. The result is that the deficit has been growing. The point was made that the county would save money in interest, 6 per cent being paid on warrants, and but 3 on a bonded debt.

MISS OLGA MATTHEWS ELECTED TO PHI BETA

Word was received here this week from Rollins College at Winter Park, Florida, that Miss Olga L. Matthews had been elected to membership in the Theta Chapter of Phi Beta national honorary musical and dramatic art fraternity for women at Rollins College.

Miss Matthews and Joe Matthews, also in school at Rollins College will return to Sikeston Friday of this week accompanied by Edward Matthews, who has been visiting there for the past week, and friends from Winter Park.

Accused of Forcing WPA Men to Vote For Roosevelt

Poplar Bluff, Mo. June 1.—Two WPA foremen were at liberty under bond today, following their arrest by Edgar Hammons, Sheriff of Butler County, on grand-jury indictments. Tan Reeves of Fisk is facing indictment charging violation of the State fish laws.

Davis Anderson of Hendrickson is charged with influencing four men to vote for Roosevelt at the last November election against their will. The indictment says Anderson "forced the men to cast their vote for Roosevelt by menace and threats with criminal intent."

Guards Taken Two From I.O.O.F.

The National Guard softball team took a double header from the I.O.O.F. in Monday night's encounters, the first game 19 to 14 and the second 9 to 8. Hits in the first game were 18 for the Guards and 10 for the I.O.O.F., and in the second game 13 for the Guards and 6 for the I.O.O.F. The Guards made 7 errors in the first game and 18 in the second while the I.O.O.F. made 13 in the first and 4 in the second.

Batteries: First game, Guards—

Marshall and Keasler; I.O.O.F.—Johnson and Clinton. Second game, Guards—Ryan and Terrell; I.O.O.F.—Bidwell and Clinton. Games scheduled for Thursday night were Hollingsworth vs. Int. Shoe and Jack's Y vs. Potashnick.

CAPT. REED RETURNS FROM FT. BENNING, GA.

Captain Rufus Reed returned Sunday from Fort Benning, Ga., where he had spent the last three months taking a training course for officers of the National Guards. Mrs. Reed, who left here last Wednesday to attend the ceremonies held at the completion of the course, accompanied her husband home Sunday.

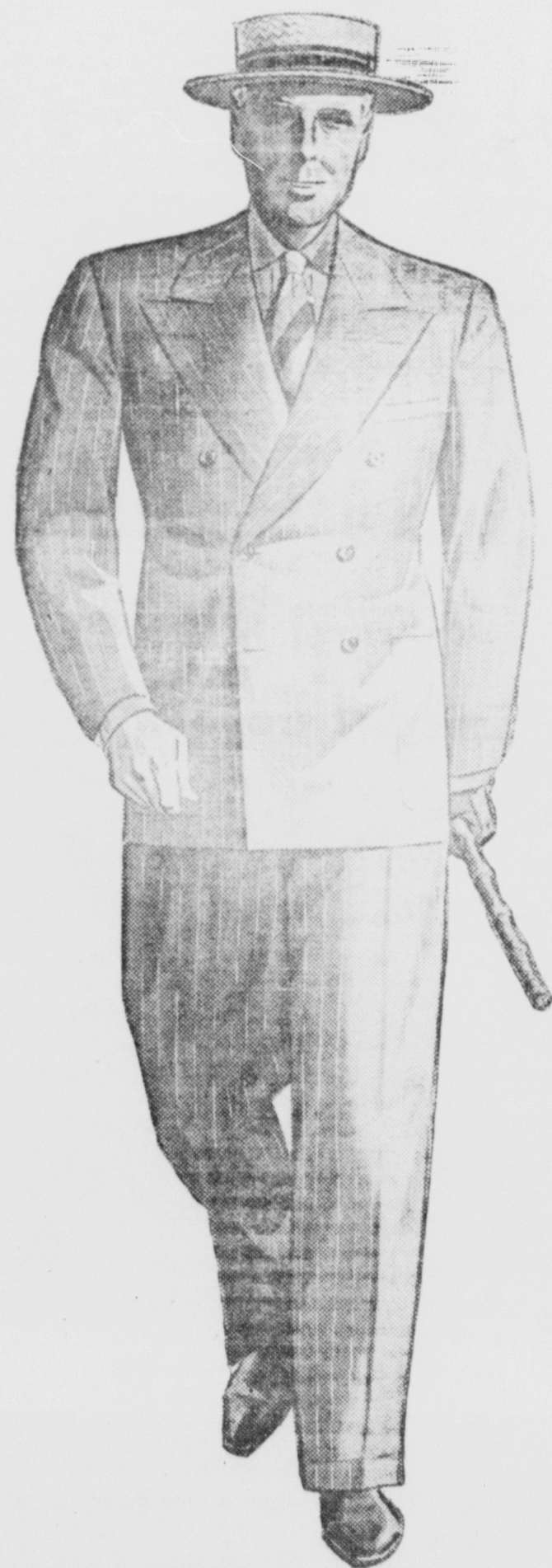
CAMPBELL YOUTH IS HEAT VICTIM

Campbell, Mo., May 31.—Frank Howard, Jr., 20, Campbell high school graduate with the class of 1935, and son of Frank Howard, local painter and contractor, died late Saturday from sunstroke.

Young Howard was employed with a construction company which is building concrete road through Campbell. He became ill and told his foreman he had to go home. As he was going to his home, he fell in an alley about a block away. Two doctors were called and remained with him about three hours before he died at 5 p. m.

Howard was very popular. He was working hard in an effort to impress his employers, friends believe, when he became ill.

The Dark Side of the Palm Beach Question....



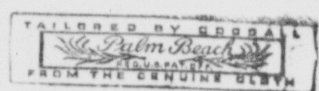
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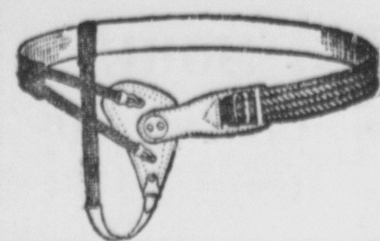
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SCOTT COUNTY FARMERS FIGHT HOPPERS' RAID

Benton, June 1.—Scott County farmers declared war today on grasshoppers and army worms, with 2400 pounds of poison bran mash being mixed here in the fight to eradicate the pests, which continue to prove a real threat. County Agent F. B. Veatch said the mash will be sufficient to wipe out the pests on 240 acres. Grasshoppers, particularly in the central and southern parts of the county, are doing much more damage than army worms. The hoppers are now about three-fourths of an inch long, and where they are thick are devouring crops.

Cotton and melons are being damaged, the county agent said. On the W. F. Lowder farm near Diehlstadt cotton is being eaten by grasshoppers. Otto Bug's clover at Vanduser also is being damaged. Some farmers are cutting hay before the leaves are eaten off.

Mr. Veatch said the Farm Bureau is furnishing the white arsenic used in the mash so far. A government supply of 750 pounds of white arsenic is expected within one or two days, it was said. That would make up enough mash to broadcast on 60,000 acres.

Warning Sounded
Columbia, June 1.—Dr. Leonard Haseman, chief entomologist at the Missouri College of Agriculture, today urged Missouri farmers to combat an invasion of

army worms which he characterized as "the worst in years." The worms, he said, are doing serious damage to pastures and small grains, particularly barley. Damage was noted in the southern section of the state a week ago, and Dr. Haseman reported the pests had appeared in fields bordering the Missouri River. Northern counties, he predicted, probably will be attacked within the next few days.

Poison bran mash, similar to that used in last year's drive against grasshoppers, was recommended today. The entomologist said a mixture of bran and sawdust, containing sodium arsenite or Paris Green, was effective in killing the worms. Addition of a small amount of blackstrap molasses as a flavoring, he said, increased efficiency of the mixture.

Good Crowds Attending Church of Nazarene Revival

The crowds are increasing at the revival services being held at the Church of the Nazarene by Rev. J. A. McNatt in conjunction with Pastor C. F. Transue. Several out of town visitors, especially from Charleston, were present Monday and Tuesday nights. Miss Marjorie Granger, evangelistic singer, renders two solos each night. Prayer service begins at the church each evening at 7:00 p. m. followed by the song service at 7:30.

Next Sunday morning at the Sunday School hour a special flower service will be held. Next Tuesday night has been announced by Rev. McNatt as Parent's Night, and all parents are urged to attend. Rev. C. F. Transue has

asked that all christians in Sikeston pray for the success of the revival.

HOUSEHOLD IS THE WORD. Watch for announcement. Phone 382.

Pawn Shop Suit Dropped

Charges entered in City Police Court against Dr. J. F. Waters by Charlie Bryant, colored, for violating city ordinance number 1192 and operating a pawn shop without a license, were dropped when Dr. Waters paid for the suit of clothes involved in the action.

Bryant claimed he let Dr. Waters have the suit as security for \$4.00 dollars he borrowed several months ago and later paid back the four dollars with a dollar interest and fifty cents for a cleaning bill and then learned that the suit was reported stolen and couldn't get his money back. Dr. Waters claimed that only three dollars had been paid to him but the suit was dropped when he paid Bryant five dollars.

Rites For Mrs. Matthews Tuesday At Commerce

Mrs. Susan Anderson Matthews, a native of Commerce, and a member of a pioneer family there, died Sunday at Hattiesburg, Miss., where she had been residing for a time each year during the past three decades.

Funeral services were held at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the family home on the hill at Commerce, the Rev. Fred Woods, Methodist pastor, in charge of the services, and interment was in the family cemetery.

Born at Commerce March 18, 1855, she was married on July 31, 1874 to Cranville Matthews, postmaster and merchant there for many years. He died January 6, 1896 and since then Mrs. Matthews has been living in Mississippi during the winter and at Commerce during the summer.

She is survived by three sons and two daughters, and a number of nieces and nephews. The sons are James R., Ed G. and Frank K. Matthews of Hattiesburg, and the daughters are Mrs. Emma Vogt of Hattiesburg and Miss Bessie Bryn Matthews of Washington.

Nephews and nieces include Mrs. H. T. Blackledge of Commerce, Mrs. S. J. Wheeler of Covington, Ky., Mrs. Ella C. Old of Sikeston, Mrs. Emma Kendall of Denver, Colo., Miss Virginia Anderson of Laurel, Miss., Mr. and Mrs. Tillman Anderson of Cape Girardeau, Mrs. J. B. Stubblefield of Cape Girardeau, Norval Anderson, Wade Anderson, Albion Anderson of Commerce, Ralph Anderson of Sikeston, Paul Anderson of Festus and C. E. Anderson of Commerce.

She was the last of her family, four brothers, W. B. J. T., B. F. and C. I. Anderson and a sister, Mrs. Mary Vernon dying previously.

PORTAGEVILLE PHYSICIAN BURIED TUESDAY

Funeral services were conducted

at 2 p. m. at Portageville Tuesday for Dr. H. H. O'Kelley, 82 years old, a practicing physician there for 35 years. He died at 6:20 a. m. Monday following an injury received in a fall six months ago. His hip was fractured at the time.

Dr. O'Kelley, who formerly lived at Patton, Bollinger County, practiced medicine until late last year. He was a member of the Masonic order.

Surviving are his widow, two sons, Harry and Flint; three daughters, Mrs. Grace Meyers of Little Rock, Ark., Mrs. Grover Meattle of Portageville and Mrs. Ernest Reeves of Denver, Colo., and nine grandchildren.

PORTAGEVILLE MAN DIES IN FALL UNDER TRAIN

Portageville, May 31.—The body of a young man killed by a Missouri Pacific train at DeSoto Tuesday, today had been identified as that of Luke Combs, 32 years old, of Portageville. The young man was thought to have fallen when he attempted to board the train.

The body is to arrive here tonight and funeral services will be conducted Tuesday at 3 p. m. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Combs, and was a carpenter. He was returning from St. Louis at the time of the accident.

MARY K. STEIS AWARDED URSULINE SCHOLARSHIP

Mary Kathryn Steis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Steis, and a member of the 1937 graduating class from St. Francis Xavier School, received Monday a four-year scholarship to Ursuline Academy at Arcadia, Mo. She will enroll there on Monday, September 6.

Sergeant Reed Returns Sunday

Sergeant Rufus R. Reed of the Highway Patrol returned Sunday from a three month's training school at Ft. Benning, Ga. Sergeant Reed reported a very interesting course in the infantry training school and stated that the experimental department kept the school up to date thus varying the courses from year to year.

Barrow, Alaska, away up in the Arctic Circle, recently felt a stir among its Eskimo population when it "put on the dog," according to the Charles D. Brower, trader, known as "king of the Arctic." And all because Dr. H. W. Maurer, government surgeon, and the few white women who were guests at the birthday party for Sgt. Stanley Morgan, United States Army, arrayed themselves in evening clothes and arrived by dog team "taxi."

Ford Maddox Ford, playwright and novelist, told the Gourmet Society in New York that international situations, and probably wars, are caused by too many cooks preparing too much food badly. He said people cannot be amiable as individuals or as nations if they are not properly fed. The solution, he said, is a wider use of spice—especially garlic.

Personal And Society Items From Morehouse

Charles O. Rauch made a business trip to St. Louis Monday.

Mrs. Florence Rutledge living in the East end, fell while going to the barn to milk Thursday evening and sustained a severely sprained back.

Melvin Sullivan and wife and Russell Givens, and wife and Miss Eleanor Minnie motored to Paducah, Ky., Sunday and spent the day with relatives and friends.

Howard Clodfelter, wife and son were guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Busby and wife in Dexter the first days of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Robinson and Mrs. Hallie Height, visited the Mesdames parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Carothers at Canolou, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dillon decorated graves of loved ones in cemetery at Van Buren, Mo., Sunday.

Lawrence Brown and wife of Woodriver, Ill., are visiting the former parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brown.

Miss Lorene Clodfelter is spending a few weeks with her aunt, Mrs. I. O. Busby in Dexter. A. F. Buffington spent Sunday in Birchtree, Mo., with his family.

Milo Gray was taken to a Cape hospital Friday night for treatment for an infection in his left foot.

Mr. and Mrs. Huley Williams report a baby girl born to them

Thursday, May 27, and her name is Elisabeth Ann.

Dee Reeves of St. Louis, Mo., and his parents Alce Reeves and wife, and Tan Reeves and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Ray, Mrs. Ellen Ray and Miss Maxine Ray have been visiting relatives in Millsville, Ill., for several days. They are all expected home this week except Mrs. Ellen Ray who will visit another month.

Mr. John C. Spence, Sr., suffered a paralytic stroke Sunday morning in Savannah, Mo., where he is in a hospital to which he was accompanied by his wife several days ago for treatment. His sons, John C. Spence, Jr., and Marshall Spence left immediately for Savannah Sunday after receiving the telegram.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Albright had a 6 o'clock dinner guests Friday evening her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Jones of Sikeston, her uncle Rev. J. F. Jones and wife of Herron, Ill., and her aunt Mrs. Mary Chapman of Sikeston, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Albright and daughters, Misses Rita Jean and Marilan of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hughes and son, John Hughes and wife of Oregon, Ill., who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. L. O. Vick and Mrs. J. W. Murphy returned home Monday. This was their first meeting in fifteen years.

Little 8 year old Arthur Sloan fell off the brick wall west of Albright's funeral parlor, while walking on top of it Friday and the result is a broken arm, severe cuts and bruises on his head. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sloan.

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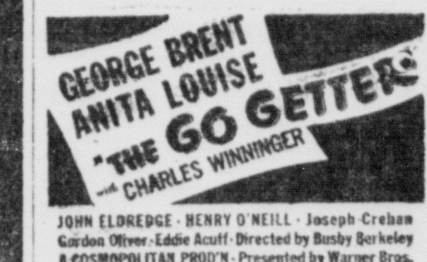
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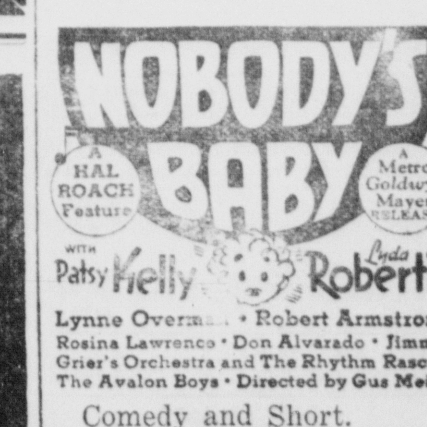
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Meat Cuts and How to Cook Them

PORK CHART

Retail Cuts



Wholesale Cuts



Retail Cuts



Pork is a universal favorite. It appears more frequently on the American table than any other meat dish, but there are a good many attractive pork cuts which are passed over by the average homemaker, because she is not acquainted with the possibilities they offer for new and attractive main dishes. The pork chart shown above deserves a place in the household files because it shows at a glance, the variety of pork cuts and how to cook them.

Cash farm income in 1937 will reach nine and half billion dollars, says the weekly letter of the Administrative and Research Corp. During the first four months of the year its total was close to two and three-quarter billions.

April retail sales in department stores made just about the normal seasonal decline from March. The country as a whole managed to better the 1936 April's sales (which included the bulk of the Easter trade) by the slim margin of 4 per cent. Variety store sales dropped 8 per cent below April, 1936, but leading mail-order houses continued to make the largest sales increases in the retail group, by a composite gain of 27 per cent.

ADVENTISTS TO HAVE GATHERING IN SIKESTON

(Church to be Organized)
A conference and convention for the southeast Missouri Seventh-Day Adventist Church will be held in this city Friday, June 11 to 13. Evangelist Leiske announced today. If the weather permits, it will be the largest gathering of its kind ever held in Southeast Missouri by this denomination. The important item of this convention and conference will be the organization of the Seventh-Day Adventist Church in Sikeston.

A number of prominent speakers will be present for this convention which begins June 11 at 8:00 p. m. Bishop J. F. Piper of the Central Union Conference of Seventh-Day Adventists is expected to be here. The Bishop's jurisdiction comprises five states of which Missouri is a part, with the headquarters at Lincoln, Nebraska.
E. L. Branson, President of the Missouri Conference of Seventh-Day Adventists, will arrive this week to make final arrangements for the conference and organization of the church, and will return again June 11 to assist in the conference and organization and will present the articles of faith and belief of the Seventh-Day Adventist church to the delegates, members of the organization, and friends.

The entire program of the Evangelistic Party next week will center around the organization and preparatory work of the permanent establishing of a strong church in Sikeston. A baptismal service will be conducted Saturday afternoon at 3:00. The Seventh-Day Adventist church baptizes all its communicants by immersion. It does not require re-baptism when members have been immersed by other spiritual organizations.

The Cooking School and Health Lecture in spite of the rain was a splendid success. Delicate and

delicious samples of food were served to all who attended Wednesday night. Home-made bread, cereal, pork and beans without pork, and a health drink were served. Definite instruction was given as to the combination of foods, and the importance of using to the largest extent a complete vegetarian diet was stressed.
A full program is planned for the week-end with an outstanding question being answered Sunday night, "Will This Nation Make a Mark to the Beast?"

AUXILIARY CELEBRATES TENTH ANNIVERSARY

Members of the American Legion Auxiliary entertained their husbands with a dinner at the Marshal Hotel, Monday evening May 31, in honor of the Tenth Anniversary of the Auxiliary.

The banquet table was arranged to form the letter A, and Mrs. C. L. Blanton, Sr., and Mrs. Ben Weiler, the first and present presidents of the Auxiliary were seated at the point of the table. The Birthday cake, holding ten candles, and placed in front of these ladies, was cut and served by Mrs. Blanton.

Blue Batchelor Buttons, Shasta daisies and tall blue tapers in silver holders made the table most attractive.
Early in the evening, a delightful dance program was presented by Mrs. O. T. Elder, and at the conclusion of the meal, contests were enjoyed by the hostesses and their guests.

The Dance Program:
Accompanist—Mrs. O. T. Elder.
Military Dance—Mary Ann Tomerlin, Marilyn Mayfield, Shirley Penzie, Alice Martin.
Song and Dance—Patsy Ruth Gentles, Shirley Shainberg, Tommy Roberts, Billy Anderson.
Military Dance—Hal Sutterfield, Van Shankle, Billy Dudley, Albert Bess.

Solo Dance—Marilyn Mayfield.
Military Dance—Betty Jane Taylor, Carolyn Weltecke, Phyllis Harrison, Alice Van Horne, Rosemary Putnam, Sue Tanner, Shirley Shainberg, Evelyn Klein, Patsy Ruth Gentles, Mary Lewis.

Bible School To Start Monday

The annual daily Vacation Bible School, held under the auspices of the Presbyterian Church, will begin on Monday, June 7, and continue through Friday, June 18. Miss Marianna Kimbrough, a trained Vacation school worker from Richmond, Va., will have charge of the school. All children between the ages of 3 and 16 years will be eligible to attend.

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MILK 3 large or 6 small 20c

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82c

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PROSPERITY NOTES

With approximately 11,000,000 persons on the pay rolls, employment in the manufacturing industries as of April 1 had reached 1929 levels, the National Association of Manufacturers reports. Roughly, 3,130,000 workers have obtained jobs since 1933.

The U. S. Labor Department's monthly survey of building activity in 1,523 cities discloses that the value of new residential construction in March was 87.2 per cent greater than in March, 1936. March residential building was estimated at \$84,882,867, a 36.5 per cent advance over the February total of \$62,188,632.

Meat consumption in the United States has increased sharply in recent weeks, according to a statement issued by the Institute of American Meat Packers. Aggregate meat consumption in March was 22 per cent greater than in February, 13 per cent greater than in March a year ago.

Telephones in use throughout the world as of January 1, 1936, numbered 35,028,692, the American Telephone and Telegraph Company estimates. That was within 1 per cent of the peak reached early in 1931, and on the basis of available figures it is

calculated at least 2,000,000 additional stations are now in use.

More than 28,200,000 automobiles were rolling the highways in 1936. This figure is a new high, surpassing the previous 1930 peak by about 1,700,000. And each month in 1937 is adding to the totals. First quarter registration of new passenger cars broke all records for the period back to 1929, while new truck registrations set an all-time high.

It wasn't only the coronation that stimulated interest in such luxury items as diamonds and jewelry, says the magazine Business Week. It's also the crop of June brides and graduates which promises to be larger this year than in any recent period. Estimates of 1937 retail jewelry sales run as high as \$375,000,000, 29 per cent higher than last year and the best since 1930. First quarter imports of precious stones and imitations (chiefly diamonds) totaled \$14,507,000, double those of the same months of 1936 and the largest volume for any first quarter back to 1929, when such imports totaled \$20,620,000.

Analysis of state income tax returns for 1936, as based on the net taxable income of individuals residing in St. Louis, shows the number of returns increased by 13.2 per cent over 1935, while the aggregate taxable income—leaping from \$71,391,103 to \$92,828,271—increased by 30 per cent.

075—increased by 30 per cent.

Steel mills had the largest April in history. In the first four months, steel production topped the same months of 1936 by 46 per cent.

Paint, varnish, and lacquer manufacturers are in the midst of their busiest season, which usually reaches a peak in May. In the first quarter, sales topped those of 1936 by over 32 per cent.

The Association of American Railroads reports Class 1 carriers had estimated operating revenues of \$288,446,093 in April. This was an increase of 10.7 per cent over the same month last year.

With carloadings estimated to break through the 900,000 cars a week level this fall, and old equipment being retired faster than new equipment is installed, the railroads fear an autumn traffic jam, according to Business Week. So it is not surprising that they are placing orders for new equipment in volumes not seen since 1929. In the first four months new locomotives ordered numbered 192 against 88 in the same months of 1936, new freight cars totaled 40,659 against 12,563, while passenger-train cars numbered 438 against 87.

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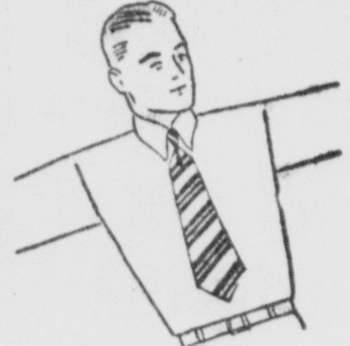
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were all here Wednesday night but so was the rain. A heavy cloud accompanied by wind and rain struck just before 8 o'clock and gave temporary relief from the intense heat but caused the calling off of the first wrestling matches of the season which were to have been held in the open air Arena. Workers had been busy all week getting the grounds in shape and moving the ring and seating equipment to the Arena.

All the participants on the card as announced for the night's activities were here including Joe Washburn, Roy Welch, Johnny Stote and Bahmen Rey as well as "Pretty Boy" Penny, referee from Steele, Mo., who was to take Mike Meroney's place. They all drove back to Caruthersville following the raining out of the matches.

The main event on next week's card will be the previously scheduled return match between Joe Washburn, 189 pounds, and

Roy Welch, 189 pounds. The preliminary will be between two totally new wrestlers to Sikeston fans, Tony Marchino of Italy, 192 pounds, and Gus Wisard of Sherman, Texas, 190 pounds. The preliminary will be a one hour match, best two out of three falls instead of the usual 90 minutes.

BIDS TO OPEN FOR LIBRARY AND PARK BONDS

Following a meeting of the Sikeston City Council on Monday night, June 7 was the time designated when bids will be opened for sale of the bonds on the \$20,000 bond issue to build a municipal library voted at a special election held May 18, as well as bonds amounting to \$15,000, for the proposed recreational park east of Sikeston on Highway 60.

The project for the library building is now in Washington in the hands of WPA officials and the project for the recreation park is now being drawn up by a

local committee and will probably be completed by the middle of next week, according to Murray Phillips committee chairman.

The recreation park project is being drawn up in three separate parts, the airport project, the swimming pool project and the golf course. Plans are also being made to erect a club house, but it will be sponsored by the club members and not a part of the regular WPA project.

Members working on the committee with Mr. Phillips are Kemper Bruton, Charles Moose, Earl Johnson and Wilbur Ensor.

HOUSEHOLD is the WORD. Watch for announcement. Phone 382.

Mrs. Myrtle Lawder and two children, Doris and Billy, and Mrs. Lawder's mother, Mrs. Miff-lin, and daughter, Naomi, of Chester, Ill., spent Monday and Tuesday here with Mr. and Mrs. M. Oze.

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